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Editorials

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In recent years campaigning has become an exact science.

There is an army of savants who are toiling away in laboratories preparing formulas and recipes for producing the required cardiac reactions to the variety of appeals which Jewish life is constantly rendering necessary.

The different ingredients which make up a well-balanced and seasoned campaign are arrayed before the scholars. They are tested, measured and weighed to have their actions determined. For a charity campaign there are fixed dosages of sentiment, tears, child-love, social pressure and communal pride. A concoction of these with a certain admixture of carbonated rhetoric will inevitably register a definite financial response. For a Keren Hayesod campaign, it is necessary to add a bit of Palestine mythology, a touch of femininistic glorification, and a few pinches of nationalistic pseudo-philosophy, and a heap of imported eloquence, and at the same time subtract some of the ingredient of communal pride. These mixed in the right proportions will invariably produce a decent portion of the allotted quota. When it comes to Talmud Torah campaigns, account must be taken of the rabbinical material, and the Jewish traditional anxiety for education. For the minor campaigns there are different combinations and blends. The pundits are constantly at work experimenting with their material and revising their formulas to meet the ever-changing conditions.

At one time the formulas were the private property of a limited coterie of specialists in New York. When a campaign was mooted it was necessary to resort to the aid of these mercenary experts at considerable cost. Now, however, with the fine spirit which prevails in all the pure sciences, the savants in charge of the discipline have placed the secrets of the craft at the disposal of the general public. And campaigns and appeals have of late been staged by local talent in the most approved manner with the free use of the laboratory-made formulas which are accessible to all students of affairs.

There is one institution in Toronto, the most meritorious and deserving one in the community—which seems consistently to fail to profit by the wisdom and findings of the new science.

The Hebrew Free Loan Organization is an institution based on the finest principles of Jewish charity. It gives relief without degrading the recipient. It does not brand the beneficiary with the mark of pauperism. It operates on the assumption that the applicants for its help are people who have not lost their human dignity and have not degenerated to the condition of an economically inert mass. It predicates of them vitality, self-respect, ability and determination to contribute their share to the social process.

With adequate resources, and guided by a wise and considerate executive, an institution like the Free Loan organization can become the most significant agency we have in the community for ameliorating economic ills. It is backed by Jewish tradition, and is at the same time supported by the most modern concepts of regenerative relief. Its ideas and aims are so sound that it is impossible to conceive of anyone demurring against them.

Somehow, however, it has always managed to hide its light under a bushel. It has never come out before the community vigorously

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CAN DISCIPLINE BE MAINTAINED IN THE SCHOOLS WITHOUT CORPORAL PUNISHMENT?

BY RABBI FERDINAND M. ISSERMAN

Since the discussion concerning corporal punishment in the public school has arisen, many thinking men and women who perceive the evils in the use of the strap have yet maintained that it was necessary in order to enforce discipline. They have contended that the only language some children will understand is that which raises welts on their hands or backs. To them the theory of discipline without corporal punishment appeals, but they fear that it cannot as yet be carried out into practice. No amount of argument could convince them except the fact that school systems which have abolished corporal punishment are maintaining discipline and would not care to revert to the old system. We have found such public school systems. We have found trained educators, superintendents of public schools, where there is no corporal punishment, who feel that discipline is maintained and who do not want to revert to the old system. The experience of these educators should convince those who are wavering and who question the practicability of the abolition of corporal punishment. These testify that discipline can be maintained in the public schools of large cities without the aid of the strap.

Frank Cody, superintendent of public schools of Detroit, writes: "I wish to say that no corporal punishment is administered to the public schools of our city. As a matter of fact, this regulation has been in effect for the past nine years. **We are much better off without it.**" Mr. Cody and his staff of teachers are as anxious to maintain school discipline as any corps of teachers anywhere, and after carrying on for nine years without the use of corporal punishment, they find that they are **much better** off without it.

The testimony and experience of Frank Cody is also borne out by John H. Logan, superintendent of schools in Newark, N.J., a cosmopolitan city of 460,000 people. Mr. Logan writes: "The state law forbids the use of corporal punishment in any public or private school of this city. This has been the law of our state for many years and I know of no reason why it should be repealed." Here we have another large city where discipline is maintained without inflicting physical pain on children.

B. G. Shackelford, who is Director of School and Community Relations in St. Louis, Mo., writes as follows: "Under the laws of the state and decision of the Missouri Courts, corporal punishment is permitted in this state and under the rules of the Board of Education is permitted in the schools of St. Louis when written consent of parents to such punishment has been secured. This punishment must be inflicted in the presence of a teacher as a witness. The practice of corporal punishment at an earlier date was rather common, but within the past decade has been almost totally discontinued. It is rare that this method of disciplinary action is called into use in St. Louis. I think, however, it would make little difference if corporal punishment were to be made illegal at any time." This educator would not oppose making corporal punishment "illegal at any time."

From E. C. Broome, Superintendent of Schools in Philadelphia

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Mrs. D. Fels, Victoria Avenue, left Sunday, January 22, for New York to visit her sister, Mrs. A. W. Landay, with whom she will leave for the South.

Mrs. P. N. Jacobson, Grosvenor Avenue, left January 19 to spend several weeks in New York and Atlantic City.

Mr. L. W. Jacobs and daughter, Sybil, have returned home, after three weeks in New York, Far Rockaway and Woodmere, Long Island.

Mrs. M. Latsky was hostess at five tables of mah jongg Wednesday, January 18. Prizes were won by Mesdames M. Brock, Gordon Lipsey, J. Cohen, Wm. Simand and Miss Sally Latsky.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kauffman, Mrs. I. Kauffman, and daughters, Dora and Elsie, Elm Avenue, have left for New York, whence they will motor to Miami, Florida. I. Kauffman will join them next week.

Mrs. I. Ornstein, 723 Stuart Avenue, entertained at seven tables of bridge and mah jongg. Prizes were won by Mesdames L. Leibovitch, S. Myers, N. Fickler, S. S. Albert, Charles H. Samit, B. Perelmutter and J. Rosenberg.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Vineberg, Westmount Boulevard, gave a supper dance Sunday, January 15, in honour of their son, Stanley. Mrs. Vineberg received in a flesh-coloured gown with crystal trimmings. Supper was served at midnight at a table decorated with red and yellow tulips. Out-of-town guests were: Mrs. H. Greenwood, of Akron, Ohio; Miss Olive Samuels, of Toronto; Miss Wendell and Joseph Anthony, B. Herzig, I. Herzig and Herbert Edelman, all of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kushner, 422 Prince Albert Avenue, are leaving for a three months' trip to Palm Beach and Miami, Florida.

Miss E. Lazare, Hutchison Street, left for New York, Sunday, January 15, to spend a few days there before leaving for Havana, Cuba.

Miss Minnie Nudelman, Esplanade Avenue, left to spend two weeks in New York.

Miss Gertrude Ein, of Glace Bay, Nova Scotia, is spending a few weeks in town, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. Ein, 41 Chesterfield Avenue, en route to Boston, New York and Buffalo.

Mrs. H. Livinson, York Avenue, entertained at the tea hour Saturday afternoon, January 14. Misses Bertha and Estelle Livinson served.

Dr. Louis Schachter is spending a short time in New York, Atlantic City and Lakewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ramenson, of New York, are in town for the Hubscher-Rubin wedding.

Mesdames H. Carsley and M. Tenenhouse were joint hostesses at a bridge and mah jongg at the former's home on Harvard Avenue, January 11. Prize-winners were Mesdames S. Silverstone, A. Kossman, D. Gross and Miss Rae Shalek. Mesdames A. Ginsberg, I. Carsley, H. Hoichberg, J. Rose, J. Altman, M. Leibovitch, D. Weinberger, L. Sandys, S. Tobin, S. Silverstone, I. Frolick and Misses Malvina Tenenhouse were there.

Honouring Miss Gertrude Ein, of Glace Bay, Nova Scotia, who is visiting relatives, were: Miss Eleanor Ein, Wood Avenue, theatre party and formal dance; Al Ein, Lennox Apartments, supper dance; Mrs. Jack Stober, Lajoie Avenue, bridge and mah-jongg, Thursday, January 12; Miss Eleanor Ein, Wood Avenue, bridge and evening, Tuesday, January 10; Mrs. Robert Cabbott, Girouard Avenue, luncheon and theatre party, Monday, January 16; Mrs. M. H. Franklin, Bernard Avenue, evening, Monday, January 16; Miss Gertrude Greenblatt, Esplanade Avenue, tea, Wednesday, January 18; Miss Celia Ein, Chesterfield Avenue, acquaintance party, Thursday, January 19.

Mrs. Arthur Harlig, of New York, is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Bornstein, 36 Laurier Avenue West, for one month.

Mrs. Ben Winston and son, Irving, are visiting Mrs. Winston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sonenberg, St. Viateur Street.

Mesdames A. Slotsky, St. Viateur Street, and I. Tucker, St. Urbain Street, were joint hostesses at six tables of bridge and one of mah-jongg Thursday, January 19, at the Lewis Reception Rooms, as a courtesy to Mrs. H. Meldrum, of Philadelphia, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Nemiroff, Laval Avenue. Mesdames Leo Tucker, A. Lax, Joe Rigler, M. Tucker, J. Vassal, S. Josephson, S. Tucker, H. Kramer, H. Kaiserman, C. Herman, B. Tepner, S. Morantz, N. Wolfe, A. Nemiroff, William Nemiroff, P. Bortz, M. Wener, C. Tessler, H. Nemiroff, A. Leibovitz, L. Leibovitz, S. Davis, D. Green, S. Real and H. Gertler were there. Prizes were won by Mesdames H. Meldrum, C. Tessler, A. Lax, D. Davis, C. Herman, Joe Rigler and M. Tucker.

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Mrs. Charles Sommer and Miss Albertine Nieghorn were hostesses at the tea being held for members and their friends, at the University Women's Club, 3492 Peel Street.

Mrs. P. Dobrofsky, Greene Avenue, who was visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. Feinberg, of Detroit, has returned to attend the bar-mitzvah of her grandson, Peter Robert Dobrofsky.

L. Klineberg, Dorchester Street West, left for Toronto Sunday, January 22, to join Mrs. Klineberg on a visit to their children, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Moe Stein were hosts at a dinner of seventy-five covers in honour of Dr. Phil Stein, of New York. The tables were decorated with roses and carnations. Orchestra. Miss Charlotte and Charles Levi entertained. Misses Jean Wolfson, Rae Gordon and Leona Leafer assisted. Out-of-town guests were: Dr. Phil Stein, of New York; Miss Charlotte, of California, and Miss Pearl Stein, of New York.

Mrs. Adolph Pesner, 742 Stuart Avenue, is visiting in New York.

Mrs. Rupert Caplan, Sherbrooke Street West, has left to spend a short time in New York.

Mrs. A. B. Vineberg and son, Henry, spent last week-end in Wenerville.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Asch, Lansdowne Avenue, are leaving for Cincinnati, Ohio, to visit Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Asch.

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Mr. and Mrs. David Kessler, of Bay City, Mich., spent the week-end in Chicago.

Misses Sarah and Katie Matts gave a supper at the Pagoda on January 8 in honour of their brother, Nathan, who was presented with a wrist watch, a signet ring and a shaving set. Guests were: Misses Rita Fellon, Ida Feller, Bella and Sophie Karlofsky, Bessie Matts, Rose Fligel, Rose Babinsky, Miss Pearlman, and Miss Mandrin; and Nathan Matts, Harry Greenstein, Charlie Wolfson, William Pottel, Harry Dobrutsky, Dr. A. Balington, Lazarus Tarsoff, Issie Babinsky, Max Matts, Nathan Feller, Phil Savage and Moe Dushitz.

Mr. and Mrs. Asher Pierce, Upper Belmont Avenue, are sailing February 2 for Palestine, to be away until June.

Miss Sadye Braunstein, of Detroit, gave a tea dance at her home, 2994 Gladstone, for Miss Sadye Friedman, of Montreal. The rooms were decorated with [illegible] played in the large hall, and tea was served at small tables in the dining room. Guests were Misses Graada and Molly Landes, Betty and Dorothy Burdick, Lillian Gross, Annette Jackobsoo, Letty Pearlman, Hannah Goldsmith, Lorraine Wolfe, and Mrs. Hochman; and Ben Burdick, Dr. Gross, Dr. Quays, Dr. Hochman, Charley Chase, Harold Shapiro, Sam Keene, Dr. Wittenberg, Dr. Lappin, Jack Weinberg, Sam Kovan and Mitchell Schayne.

Miss Sally Manus, 3445 St. Urbain Street, was hostess at bridge Friday, January 13, in hooour of Miss Rita Blnishinsky, of Ottawa. Misses Kate Miller, Rose Spiegelblatt, Bella Golt, Bessie Silverman, Celia Cooper, Fay Karovitch and Jean Wax were there. Prizes were won by Misses Bella Golt and Celia Cooper.

Miss Rose Nordan, Guilbault Street, entertained at four tables of bridge on Sunday, January 22. Misses Rose Davidson, Frankie Hersh, Celia Dobrofsky, Dora Goldberg, Rose Winter and [illegible] E. Lipson, H. Baum, D. Reider, Jack Palayow, Hyman Baum, Phil Lipson, Jack Dukes, Joe Richer, Harry Baum, Phil Grossman, Dave Reider and Morris Heft. Prizes were won by Mesdames P. Lipson, D. Reider, Phil Lipson and Miss Rose Winter. Mrs. Phil Grossman won the consolation prize. Miss Rose Davidson and Mrs. P. Lipson assisted in serving.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Silverman (nee Pearl Friedman) have returned from their honeymoon.

Mrs. Ben Joseph, Marlowe Avenue, is spending ten days in New York.

Mrs. A. Walfish, 5123 Esplanade Avenue, was hostess at three tables of bridge Tuesday, January 17, welcoming Mesdames A. Miller, W. Levine, S. Weiniger, E. Walfish, S. Segal, W. Cohen, J. Yates, I. Perlmutter, Ben Winston, of Toronto; and J. Bregman and Misses Alice Cohen and Bessie Cohen. Prizes were won by Mesdames S. Weiniger, Ben Winston and G. Walfish.

J. Kellert, accompanied by his sister, Miss H. Kellert, have left for Palm Beach, Fla.

Miss Leah Jacobs, Belmont Avenue, left for New York and Atlantic City.

Miss Eileen Fels, Belmont Street, left for New York and Atlantic City.

Ernest Markus, Lansdowne Avenue, returned from abroad.

Mrs. Harry Bronfman and daughter, Comte Street, left January 22 for California.

Mrs. Charles Jacobs has gone back to New York after a stay of several weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Aech, Grosvenor Avenue.

Mrs. Nathan Goodman, Querbes Avenue, entertained January 15 in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Rosenberg, of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kahn, of Chicago.

A stag was held Saturday night, January 21, at the Mount Royal Hotel dining room for Harry Darabaner, whose marriage to Miss Elsie Laxer takes place January 31. D. Rosenbaum was toastmaster. Guests were Max J. Laxer, Ralph Zabitsky, Dr. A. Steinberg, I. Rohr, J. I. Kraminer, M. I. Richler, Max Rosen, T. Herscovitch, Max Laxer, William D. Chananie, Louis Glazer, Ben Wall, Abe Laxer, Hyman Wiser, I. J. Charness, S. Herscovitch, Dave Garmaise, S. Carolin, Dave Rosenbaum, Harry Weiser, Jack Laxer, Joe Dainow, M. Kurtz and J. S. Caplan. A chest of silver was presented to the guest of honour.

Harry Richler, De La Roche Street, is home from New York and Boston, where he spent two weeks.

Max J. Laxer, of New York, is with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Laxer, Esplanade Avenue.

Miss Lottie Newhouse, of Edmonton, Alberta, is visiting Miss Sybil Shankman.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Imdrey, of New York, who are coming to town to attend the bar-mitzvah of their grandson, Peter Robert Dobrofsky, will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Dobrofsky, Parkman Place.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Wener, of Calgary, Alberta, accompanied by the latter's sister, Miss Carrie Elkan, are at the Windsor Hotel.

Mrs. I. A. Kaufman, 295 Prud'homme Avenue, was bridge and mah jongg hostess Monday afternoon, January 16, in compliment to Mrs. Rady, of Winnipeg, and Mrs. Stark, of San Francisco. Mesdames C. A. Jacobs and Ben Friedman poured the tea and coffee, and Misses Freda Besner, Zella Bronfman, Beatrice Friedman and Anna Fritt assisted in serving.

Mrs. Herman Liverman, Hutchison Street, gave a birthday party for sixteen children Saturday, January 21, in honour of the fifth birthday of her son, Irving. Refreshments were served in the dining room at a large table. The centre decoration, a large basket in the form of a rose, contained individual gifts for the children. Streamers from the chandelier were attached to place cards. Each child received a basket, in the form of a rose, containing candies. Decorations in the dining room were carried out in pale yellow and blue, and with daffodils and roses. Howard Winer and Stanley Rutenberg won prizes for games. Mesdames Hyman Liverman, M. Siblin and

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Rosen, 5046 Clarke Street, entertained Rachel Ben Zivi, of Palestine, Monday night, January 23, after her lecture at Zierre Zion Hall, St. Lawrence Boulevard. In the company were: Mr. and Mrs. S. Perel, Mr. and Mrs. J. Abel, Mr. and Mrs. M. Dickstein, Mr. and Mrs. J. Zingman, Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiseman, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Caiserman, Mr. and Mrs. C. Herman, Miss Bella Lazarus, Mr. and Mrs. M. Zennenshine, Mr. and Mrs. I. Jakel, Mr. and Mrs. S. Dunsky, Mr. and Mrs. T. Horowitz, Mr. and Mrs. D. Blecher, Mrs. F. Pepper, I. Chukla, Mr. and Mrs. Poples, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stillman, A. Kirschenbaum, G. Reizler, Mr. and Mrs. S. Parness, Miss Anna Revolis, Miss Sonia Bellkin, Miss Fruma Chefitz, Mr. and Mrs. L. Zucker, Mrs. E. Essner, P. Marram, A. Bellkin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Zeldman and Miss Nell Rosen. The guest of honour and P. Marram sang and recited.

B. Levinson, of Winnipeg, who was at the Mount Royal Hotel, has left for New York.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Liverman and daughter, Ann, Victoria Street, and Mrs. Hyman Liverman, Sherbrooke Street West, left Saturday for Miami Beach, Fla., to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. Julius A. Cohen, Grey Avenue, entertained at an evening Sunday, January 22, in honour of the engagement of her sister, Miss Pearl Laurie, to Shae Silverstein.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shulman, 3488 City Hall Avenue, gave a reception in honour of Isaac Bender, of Chicago, formerly of Montreal. Mr. and Mrs. S. Shandorf, of New York, gave an exhibition dance. A quartette, consisting of M. Parker, Saul Abrams, I. Bender and Mrs. R. Kaufman, sang. A Jewish sketch, "The Shicker," was given by Harry Parker and Saul Abrams. Miss Shulman, accompanied by Miss Levine, played the mandolin. Refreshments. Orchestra. Guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Rubin, Mr. and Mrs. S. Eiler, Mr. and Mrs. B. Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. M. Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. R. Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. L. Freedman, Miss M. Levine, Saul Abrams, Mr. and Mrs. N. Bender, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bender, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lerner, Mr. and Mrs. I. Levine, Mr. and Mrs. L. Gollick, Misses Esther Jacobs, R. Kaufman, A. Shapiro, and W. Levine and A. Levine. I. Bender was presented with a cigarette case by the host and hostess.

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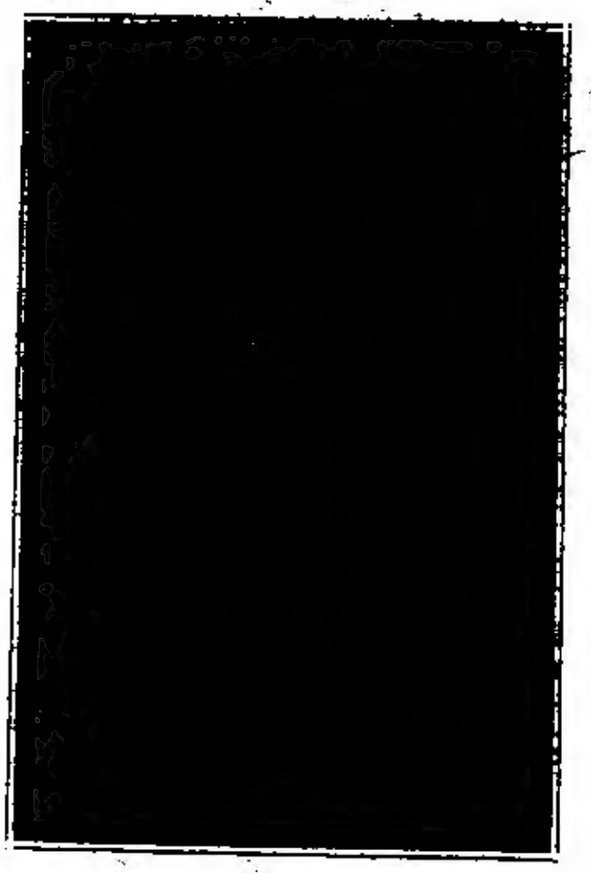

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FREE LOAN

Hebrew Free Loan Association meeting, Wednesday, January 18, was attended by Myer Goldberg, B. Goldenberg, Dr. Alton Goldbloom, Jos. Goldenberg (St. Dominique), M. Goldenberg, S. Goldenberg, I. S. Goldenstein, Goldfarb Bros., Max Kolber, Dr. J. Kolber, S. Kolber, P. Koopferstock, Sam Kosowatsky, E. Kossy, Krakower Bros., Morris Krasnow and J. Kravetz. This Association lends up to $250, free of all interest or any other charges. Applications should be made on Mondays up to 7 p.m.

CONCERT TO PROVIDE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Miss Ellen Ballon will give a piano recital under the auspices of McGill University, in the ballroom of the Mount Royal Hotel, Tuesday, February 14, at 8.30 p.m. His Excellency Viscount Willingdon, the visitor of the University, and Viscountess Willingdon will attend. Miss Ballon, a graduate of McGill Conservatorium of Music, who studied under Joseffy and Hofmann, recently returned from a concert tour in Europe. She played before members of the royal family, and in Berlin and Vienna. Miss Ballon will donate the entire proceeds of her recital for a scholarship in the Faculty of Music at McGill University. She was born in Montreal and began to play in public at the age of three and a half years. A year later she performed a Clementi sonatina from memory for, she had not yet learned her notes, and won a scholarship at McGill University Conservatory of Music, with numerous other prizes.

Mischa Levitzki, American pianist, made his Italian debut in Milan on January 3.

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MADAME BEN ZWI

Madame Ben Zwi, who spoke at several meetings, was entertained by the Pioneer Women of Montreal at a banquet for 140 guests at the Mount Royal Hotel Saturday night, January 21. Mrs. H. M. Caiserman, who welcomed the guest of honour, spoke on the aims of Pioneer Women. A musicale was given by Nachum Raginsky, violinist, accompanied by Miss Julia Bieber on the piano. J. Abel read from Sholem Alechim. Other speakers were Mesdames A. Wiseman, B. Lazarus and B. Perelmutter, and L. Zucker and Ben Zion, poet and writer. H. M. Caiserman made an appeal for Pioneer Women, collecting $400 at the Pioneer Women and Hadassah lecture, Sunday, January 22. Mrs. H. M. Caiserman, chairlady, spoke on "Modern Woman in Palestine." At the Pioneer Women lecture at the Ziere Zion hall, Monday evening, January 23, Mrs. S. Dunsky presided. Madame Ben Zwi spoke on "A Message from Palestine."

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MARRIAGES

Gudin–Stark

The marriage of Miss Gertrude Stark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Stark, to Bernard Gudin, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Gudin, took place Sunday, January 22, at Auditorium Hall, Rabbi Herschorn officiating. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a gown of white crepe romaine with lace insertions. Her veil of silk net fell from a crown of rhinestones and pearls, and her bouquet was of roses and lilies-of-the-valley. Miss Becky Puritz, maid-of-honour, wore a gown of green georgette and lace, and carried American Beauty roses. M. Mintzberg was best man. Hymie Gudin, the page, wore a tuxedo. Anita Gudin, as flower girl, wore a frock of pink taffeta and carried a basket of roses. Mrs. D. Stark, mother of the bride, was in a black georgette dress, with corsage of roses. Mrs. I. Gudin, mother of the groom, wore black georgette trimmed with silver lace. Three hundred guests were received.

Dunn–Booth

The marriage of Miss Alice Booth, daughter of E. Booth, to Leo Dunn, son of Mrs. R. Dunn, was solemnized Sunday, January 22, at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. Feldman, 142 Vendome Avenue. Rabbi Abramowitz officiated. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a white taffeta and lace bouffant dress with long lace sleeves. Her veil of net was in cap effect caught with orange blossoms. She carried a prayer book with streamers of lilies-of-the-valley. The maid of honour, Miss Beatrice Booth, was in yellow taffeta trimmed with black lace, with a corsage bouquet of roses and lilies-of-the-valley. Myer Dunn, brother of the groom, was best man. Mrs. Dunn, mother of the groom, was gowned in black velvet with hat to match and a corsage of roses; and Mrs. M. Feldman, sister of the bride, in cloth of gold. One hundred guests were received.

Hymer—Friedman

The marriage of Miss Bernice Friedman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Friedman, to Leo Hymer, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Hymer, was solemnized Sunday, January 22, at Majestic Hall, Guy Street. Rev. M. Bloomfield, uncle of the bride, officiated. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore beaded white georgette. Her veil of net was trimmed with lace in cap effect and caught with orange blossoms. Her flowers were roses and lilies-of-the-valley. The maid of honour, sister of the groom, wore a blue taffeta and lace bouffant dress and carried red roses. Hyman Friedman, brother of the bride, was best man. The brideamaids were Misses Bella Bassin, of Ottawa, in a white taffeta bouffant dress; Lily Friedman, white beaded georgette; Katie Gray, coral georgette, and Ruth Granofsky, white satin. Red roses were their flowers. Groomsmen were S. Stark, M. Stark, Sam Friedman and Nat Gray. The flower girl, Shirley Freeman, wore yellow georgette and carried a basket of red roses. Mrs. A. Friedman, mother of the bride, was gowned in black georgette, trimmed with silk fringe and a corsage of red roses. Mrs. M. Hymer, mother of the groom, black satin trimmed with fawn and a corsage of red roses. From a distance were: Mrs. R. Bassin, Hyman Bassin and Miss Bella Bassin, of Ottawa; and Hyman Wolinsky, of Winnipeg. A reception for 250 guests was held. Mr. and Mrs. L. Hymer will live in Cornwall, Ont.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR BRIDES-ELECT

Miss Diana Ellis, Hutchison Street, entertained at an evening, Sunday, January 22, in honour of Miss Tina Vineberg, a bride-elect.

Mrs. S. Rudick, City Hall Avenue, gave a personal and linen shower for fifty guests, honouring Miss Gertrude Stark, whose marriage to Bernard Gudin took place Sunday, January 22.

Misses Myra Chlorton and May Lightstone were hostesses at a kitchen shower at the former's home, 5039 Sherbrooke West, Saturday, January 21, in honour of Miss Lena Ashkaloney. Spring flowers decorated the rooms. The guests were: Mesdames H. M. Chorlton, J. N. Neumann, Leo J. Neumann, M. S. Singer, Anathole Ashkaloney, Murat Bey, Joseph Goodson, E. Lozinski, Joseph Notkin, Jack Notkin, Maxwell Notkin, and Misses Leah Jacobson, Estelle Harris, Lucille Adam, Lou Shupe, Lillian Schwartz, Lillian Segal, Mary Louis, Annie Louis and Marie Ashkaloney. The hostesses presented the guest of honour with a box of initialled handkerchiefs. Miss Dolly Klineberg, Dorchester Street West, gave a bridge, mah-jongg and stocking shower Sunday, January 22, complimenting Miss Ashkaloney, a bride-elect of February 14. Mrs. L. Steinberg poured the tea in the dining-room, which was decorated with tulips and other spring flowers. Prize-winners were Mesdames Joe Fineberg, L. Steinberg, and Misses Bessie Viner and Ethel Hecht. Other guests were: Mesdames J. N. Neumann, Leo J. Neumann, Anathole Ashkaloney, Joe Freedman, M. S. Singer, Sam Pesner, S. L. Ghent, I. Diner, Adolph Pesner, Abe Pesner, I. N. Pesner, Lewis K. Freedman, Phil Meyerovitch, and Misses Reba Goltman, Sallie Solomon, Kate Godjinsky, Naomi Miller, Rae Friedman, Ruby Friedman, Marie Ashkaloney and Sonya Rosenbaum. The hostess presented the bride-elect with a Moorcroft plate. Mrs. Ernie Gesner, Querbes Avenue, also entertained at dinner and a surprise china shower in Miss Ashkaloney's honour, Thursday, January 17. The guests were Mesdames Charles Rosenthal, L. S. Bernstein, Wolfe Singer, Joseph Goodson, and Misses Ida Persky, Anne Shaffer and Eva Signer. Miss Sallie Solomon, Hutchison Street, was hostess at a book shower Saturday, January 21, for Miss Ashkaloney and her fiance, Harold Neumann. Supper was served at midnight to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kahn, Mr. and Mrs. Gaalya Cornfield, and Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Singer, and Misses Dolly Klineberg, May Lightstone, Marjorie Neumann, Elaine Neumann, Marie Ashkaloney, Myra Chorlton, Jeanette Enzer, Fannie Ratner, Bessie Viner, Esther Levitt, Anne Lerner, Rhoda Lerner, Emma Abbey, Clara Greenberg, Bertha Meyer, Malca Friedman and Rose Solomon; and Dr. Myron

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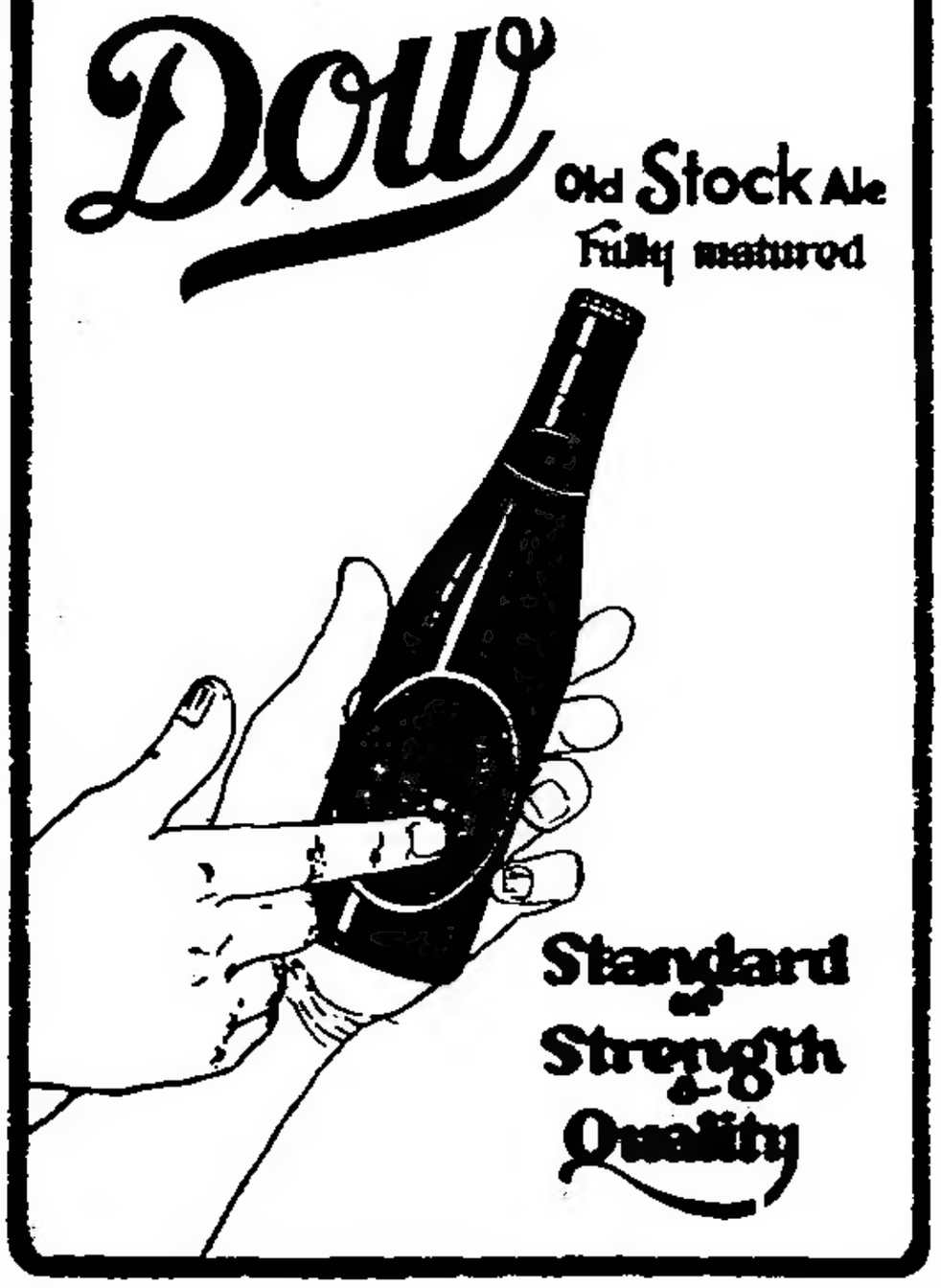

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Kornbluth, St. Zotique Street, entertained at a dinner of fifteen covers, Sunday, January 22, for Miss Elsie Laxer, a bride-elect of January 31. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. Laxer, Misses Bessie Kugelmass, Dora Laxer, Dora Steinberg, Rebecca Laxer; and Dr. A. Steinberg, Harry Darabaner, Barnett E. Laxer and Max J. Laxer, of New York.

Misses Bessie Lewis, Ethel Goldwater and Laurie Wiener were joint hostesses at a personal shower at the Mount Royal Hotel on Sunday, January 22, in honour of Miss Tina Vineberg, a bride-elect of February 12. Misses Pauline Vineberg, Minnie Nemtin, Fanny Godel, Eva Verner, Diana Ellis, Henriette Zittrer, Gertrude Zittrer, Hazel Boomstone, Rhoda Geller, Odie Goldwater, Evelyn Benjamin and Mesdames William Schwartz and Isaac Diner were there.

Misses Goldie and Bella Epstein, 4106 St. Urbain Street, entertained at a personal shower and ten tables of bridge, January 15, in honour of Miss Sissie Cooke, a bride-elect of March 25. Guests were: Misses B. Segal, S. Margolis, M. Shapiro, F. Segal, M. Abrahams, A. Morgan, Eva Mendelsohn, Claire Mendelsohn, C. Cook, B. Epstein, B. Cooke, L. Dancovitch, D. Matlin, A. Stevens, G. Guntman, A. Glazer, A. Ellis, Gertie Braunstein, A. Harris, D. Steirman, G. Matlin, Ray Epstein, I. Matlin, S. Krinkovitz, Smith, G. Epstein, and Mesdames I. B. Brigger, A. Potechin, I. Potechin, M. Cooke, J. Abrahamson, D. Dubin, R. Evans, M. Seidman, J. Zwillick, S. Sondon, C. Bertlestein, C. Lapedis, B. Zackon, J. Buretsky, M. Ruth, J. Pepper, H. Simon, S. Schneiderman, D. Klein, N. Rubin, I. Levine, F. Stein, N. Auerbach, I. Epstein, H. Margolis, M. Goldman, Z. Altrovitch, M. Kaufman, L. Guntman and S. Felman, of Newark, N.J. Prizes were won by Misses G. Matlin, L. Dancovitch, A. Glazer, F. Segal, and Mesdames H. Simon, I. Levine, M. Seidman, B. Zackon, A. Potechin, and D. Klein. B. Shatz and Irving Silver sang, accompanied by Miss A. Glazer. Misses R. Epstein, G. Guntman and Mrs. I. B. Brigger assisted in serving.

Mrs. S. Cooperstone, Fairmount Avenue, entertained at a miscellaneous shower and ten tables of bridge Wednesday, January 18, in honour of her niece, Miss Miriam Terstenzang, a bride-elect of January 22. She was assisted by Miss Jennie Levine. Those present were: Mesdames S. Levine, B. Thaw, A. Levine, E. R. Kays, M. Lefkovitch, J. Rost, S. Wideman, R. Kaminsky, M. Davis, H. Abramowitz, M. Taub, M. Creliastein, A. Shacter, R. Schwartz, S. Kaback, A. Winger, R. Wisenfeld, C. Dally, M. Parlick, K. Schacter, M. Hornstein, J. Merson, G. Salomon, A. Poyaner, M. B. Schwartz, M. Pesner, M. Bernstein, D. Stiesman, L. Matthews, L. Raich, L. Beral, J. Auerbach, M. Birinbaum, S. Selinsky, J. Gershberg, M. Wax, M. Godinsky, R. Kauffman, H. Gertler, and Misses R. Parlick and Dora Black.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mrs. Julius Cohen, 197 Grey Avenue, Westmount, announces the engagement of her sister, Pearl, daughter of Mrs. Laura, to Shae, son of Mrs. and the late Mr. Silverstein.

Mrs. S. Goldman, Park Avenue, announces the engagement of her youngest sister, Annie Kiewitsky, of Los Angeles, formerly of Montreal, to Jacob Jacobowitz, of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Newman announce the approaching marriage of their youngest daughter, Bessie, to Lou L. Tannenbaum, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Tannenbaum, of Montreal, Sunday, February 5.

The engagement is announced of Sadie, daughter of Mrs. and the late S. Beecher, to Joseph R. Jacobson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Jacobson, of Saint John, N.B.

Mrs. H. Laurie announces the engagement of her daughter, Pearl, to Shae, eldest son of Mrs. J. Silverstein and the late J. Silverstein.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stubina announce the engagement of their daughter, Ida Lauretta, to Dr. Joseph Pollack, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Pollack.

APPROACHING MARRIAGES

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Vineberg announce that the marriage of their daughter, Tina, to Max Nemtin, son of Moses Nemtin, will take place February 12, Rabbi Abramowitz officiating.

The marriage of Miss Anita Goldwax, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Goldwax, to Max, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Gross, takes place February 5, at Bnai Jacob Synagogue.

BORN

At the Royal Victoria Maternity Hospital, Saturday, January 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Morris B. Signer (nee Jennie Edith Cohen), a son.

At Royal Victoria Maternity, January 19, to Mr. and Mrs. I. Kasner (nee Mildred Becker), a son.

BAR-MITZVAHS

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Dobrofsky, 3 Parkman Place, are giving a reception Sunday, January 29, at the Windsor Hotel, in honour of the bar-mitzvah of their son, Peter Robert, which will be solemnized Saturday, January 28, at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue. Out-of-town guests will be: Mr. and Mrs. M. Imdrey, grandparents of the bar-mitzvah; Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Imdrey, Albert, Joe and Fred Imdrey, Mrs. Julius Goldberg, Miss Sylvia Goldberg, Mrs. Boris Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Beckenstein, Mrs. S. Insky, Miss Jean Insky, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Goodman, and Mrs. Joseph Goodman, all of New York; Mrs. M. Feinberg and daughter, Muriel, of Detroit; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Kassler, Mr. and Mrs. I. Greenberg, and Joe Greenberg, all of Toronto.

The bar-mitzvah of Abraham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gruber, 234 Prudhomme Avenue, was solemnized at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue Saturday, January 21, Rabbi Abramowitz officiating. A dinner of forty covers was served at Miller's Restaurant, Peel Street. The table was decorated with cut flowers. A. Hoffman made a "Misha Berach." Cantor Segal sang. Reubin Michaels was master of ceremonies and Joseph A. Dobrofsky was chairman. J. Gruber, Abraham Gruber, Rabbi H. Abramowitz, Rev. J. Dubitsky, M. Brodkin, Miss R. Haines, A. Hoffman, M. Ruttenberg, L. Samuels, L. Sperber, J. Simpson, J. Brodkin, M. Felson, J. L. Sabbath, R. Michaels, L. Hamer and M. Hamer all spoke. Guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Max Myers, Reubin Michaels, Lawrence Sperber, A. Brodkin, H. Brodkin, Mr. and Mrs. L. Bliskin, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ruttenberg, Miss R. Haines, H. Haines, Harry Rosenes, of Ottawa; Jos. A. Dobrofsky, Rabbi H. Abramowitz, Dr. Broun, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hamer, Mr. and Mrs. N. Hamer, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brodkin, Mr. and Mrs. N. Brodkin, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Samuels, Mr. and Mrs. B. Shapiro, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Felsen, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sabbath, Mr. and Mrs. J. Simpson, Rev. and Mrs. M. Segal, and Rev. and Mrs. J. Dubitsky.

DEATHS

At his home, 4586 St. Urbain Street, January 21, Jos. Mednick died, age 70. He is survived by his widow, Rose Mednick, two sons and four daughters.

GOLDEN WEDDING PRESENTATION

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Tannenbaum, Sherbrooke Street West, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage with a family dinner and a reception in the community house of Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue Saturday evening, January 21. They were married in New York City, January 20, 1878. Mrs. Tannenbaum was formerly Miss Augusta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Israel. Covers were laid for fifty at dinner, where the table decorations of daffodils and yellow candles carried out the symbolism of the golden wedding. The toast to the "bride and groom" was given by Rev. Dr. H. Abramowitz. Among those present at the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Tannenbaum's two sons and their wives, Dr. and Mrs. David Tannenbaum and Mr. and Mrs. I. Tannenbaum, of New York; their four daughters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cohen; Mr. and Mrs. J. Krokyn, of Boston; Mr. and Mrs. D. Salinski, of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. T. Rose; seven grandchildren, Miss Ruth Tannenbaum, Miss Beth Tannenbaum, William Krokyn, Lewis Salinski, Mildred Salinski, Frances Cohen and Dorothy Cohen. The out-of-town guests included: Mrs. B. D. Kaplan, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. L. Lee, of New York; Mrs. S. Cohn, of Brooklyn; Mrs. H. Tannenbaum, of New York; Mrs. T. Berman, of Boston, and Miss Shirley Kaplan, of New York.

At the reception for 150 guests after dinner, Lyon Cohen, president of the synagogue, presented to Mr. and Mrs. Tannenbaum a gold kiddush cup on behalf of the congregation in recognition of their loyalty to the institution of which they have been members for forty-one years, and of which Mr. Tannenbaum is a trustee. They were also given a pair of gold candlesticks by St. George's Masonic Lodge, No. 10, of which Mr. Tannenbaum is a member. This presentation was made by the ninety-two-year-old secretary of the lodge, Samuel Gray, and by Moe Albert. Dancing until midnight. Guests at the reception included: Rabbi and Mrs. H. Abramovitz, Mr. and Mrs. Lyon Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Levinson, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. I. Glickman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kellert, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Vineberg, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wener, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hart, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rudolph, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lesser, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. A. Saul Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lande, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Heillig, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Levin, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Levinoff, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wolofsky, Mr. and Mrs. B. Levitt, Mr. and Mrs. Saul Ogulnik, Mr. and Mrs. A. Muhlstock, Mr. and Mrs. I. Kert, Oscar Reinhart, Mr. and Mrs. M. Glickman, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Glickman, A. Greenberg, Mr. and Mrs. M. Margolick, Mr. and Mrs. Myer Aronson, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Glickman, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rosenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Marc Piers, Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Glickman, Joseph Greenberg, Mr. and Mrs. S. Greenspon, Martin Tager, Mr. and Mrs. M. Rittenberg, Mr. and Mrs. M. Feldman, Dr. and Mrs. J. Rubin, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Jacobs, Miss Hattie Kellert, Sol Kellert, Mr. and Mrs. A. Blumenthal, Mr. and Mrs. M. Silver, Mr. and Mrs. H. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. D. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. S. Ballon, Mesdames M. Block, L. Aronson, M. Markus, Dr. A. Aronson, Misses A. Aronson, Misses Sophia Hirsch, Essie Hirsch, Mr. and Mrs. D. Cummings, Nathan Feinberg, Mr. and Mrs. D. Chorlton, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dobrofsky, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Simon, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. H. Levy, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Holstein, Mrs. J. Kruger, Mrs. S. Goldstein, Mr. and Mrs.

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MUSICALE AND LECTURE

A musicale and lecture was given by Young Hebrew Malbiah Arunim Society at the Mount Royal Hotel, Thursday, January 19. Rev. Kruger spoke. Miss M. Weinstein, pianist, and Joe Messing, violinist, entertained. Mrs. F. Caplan, M. Weber and M. Tager spoke. Acting co-chairman, D. L. Bernstein, and I. Dacks, president, spoke of the twenty-second annual dance.

BIG SISTER

Big Sister and Juvenile Aid Committee of the Local Council of Jewish Women met Thursday, January 19, at the home of Miss Mary Vineberg, the chairman. Reports of cases.

FOR REBBETZIN FRIEDMAN

Mrs. J. Dingvitzer, 156 St. Joseph Boulevard, will entertain at a private reception, Tuesday afternoon, January 31, in honour of Rebbetzin Friedman, who with Rabbi Friedman, of Roumania, is spending a few weeks in Montreal before continuing on a trip through America.

WELFARE LEAGUE WAITRESSES

Those who served in the Welfare League Tea Room in the Medico-Dental Building last week were: Mesdames Lorne Schwartz, J. Rosenbaum, M. Singer, and Misses Lorna Klineberg, Bessie Viner, Lillian Wolfe, Hilda Blumer, Libby Miller, Bessie Freedman, Evelyn Rudolph, Rose Daniels, Dorothy Leo, Zella Bronfman, Evelyn Berlin, Nellie Bassen, Vera Weinfield, Dora Dector, Laura Weiner, Sadie Laz, Rose Selinsky, Rose Klein, Anna Gordon, Beccie Cohen, and Beccie Schwartz.

CLUB SOCIAL

J.A.B.O.G. Club held its first social gathering Sunday evening, January 22, at the home of Miss Bella Stattner, Pine Avenue. The secretary-treasurer, Miss Lillian Goldschlager, was assisted in serving refreshments by Miss Sarah Heft.

INITIATION DINNER

The initiation dinner of Maccabaean Lodge, Zionist Order of Habonim, was held at the Hoffbrau Tuesday night, January 17. Harold Rosenberg, C. J. Lewis, Sol Goldberg and Thomas Silverstone were initiated with the new ritual as handed down by the Supreme Council of the Order. The ritual team was headed by the Grand Host "Nassi" of the lodge, Moe M. Schachter, and was assisted by past Grand Hosts Harry Block and Abe Katz, along with Harry Vechsler, supreme secretary of the order, as master of ceremonies. Samuel Schwisberg was the speaker at the dinner which followed. Grand Captain Alex Messer's vote of thanks was seconded by Disciple I. N. Knight. Moe M. Schachter was toastmaster. Disciples Harry Vechsler and I. N. Knight were each presented with a Golden Book Certificate from Palestine as a token of appreciation for their services to the order and to the lodge. Each diploma costs the lodge one hundred dollars. The presentations were made by Past Grand Host Abe A. Katz. C. J. Lewis played the piano. The lodge choir joined in singing. Next regular assembly Tuesday, February 7, in the lodge chambers, 226 Sherbrooke Street West.

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Y.M.H.A. SOCIAL

A novelty social was held at the Y.M.H.A. Sunday evening, January 22, under the auspices of the Senior Inter-Club Council. Sam Rubin and his committee, consisting of Miss Libby Selinger, Nat Horovitch and Ernie Boyaner, provided novelties and entertainment.

TO HONOUR RABBI ZLOTNICK

Rabbi J. L. Zlotnick, who was Jehuda Elzet, has made contributions to Jewish folk-lore, has issued the first of a series of studies on Jewish life and customs. A literary and musical evening is being arranged Saturday, February 12, at the Mount Royal Hotel to commemorate Rabbi Zlotnick's return to the literary field and to celebrate his fortieth birthday. Committee: L. Fitch, M. Garber, J. Levinson, L. Miller, Mrs. L. Miller, B. Perelmuter, I. Rabinovitch, Mrs. J. Shulman, H. L. Sourkes, Mrs. A. Sourkes, M. B. Weiner, S. Wiseman, H. Wolofsky, I. Zipper; H. L. Sourkes and S. Wiseman, co-chairmen.

PLAN INSTITUTE FOR BLIND

The thirty-four Jewish blind men who have had some difficulty in being admitted into local institutions for the blind, have interested a number of Jewish citizens and at a meeting held on Wednesday evening, January 18, a Hebrew Institute for the Blind was organized. Plans are being made to purchase a broom factory to give employment to those blind. David Kirsch, H. Wolofsky, Nathan Lande, Dr. J. Rosenbaum and S. Z. Fels were present at the meeting. A charter will be obtained as soon as a permanent committee has been formed.

CHILDREN GUESTS AT CONCERT

The children of the Montreal Hebrew Orphans' Home, who were guests of Edgar M. Berliner, at the first concert of the Montreal Symphony, January 22, at the Princess Theatre, will also be his guests at the second concert Sunday, January 29. Through the courtesy of Mr. Berliner, the M.H.O.H. choir will record songs. Bnai Brith Lodge, No. 729, which will shortly broadcast over the radio, will include on their programme selections by this choir. C. Benjamin, a member of the board, will be host to fifty children at a sleigh drive around the two mountains. Bernard Wall is arranging a concert February 4. The children are given instruction four days a week in Hebrew, scripture, history, religion and Yiddish.

David Shapiro, publisher of "The Day," has been notified that the chair for the study of the Yiddish language and literature at the Hebrew University on Mount Scopus, offered by him, will be accepted. The governing Council of the Institute of Jewish Studies made this decision at its session this week in Mainz. The acceptance of the chair was objected to by the Jerusalem Committee of the Institute of Jewish Studies. There will be no attempt to raise a popular subscription fund for this project. The Yiddish Chair is the gift of Mr. Shapiro to the Hebrew University.

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Friday, January 27, at 8.15 p.m., sermon, "Some of Life's Great Pleasures." Saturday morning, sermonette on the Torah reading for the week. Mrs. Leo J. Neumann is conducting a story hour Saturdays at 10.15 a.m. Confirmation class meets with the rabbi Saturdays at 10 a.m.

Sisterhood held a bridge and mahjongg in the Temple House, Tuesday afternoon, January 24. Study Group met Wednesday morning, January 25. Rita Guilaroff played the piano and Jane Reichbach recited in the Religious School Assembly, Sunday, January 22. Dorothy Silbermann conducted the scripture lesson. The moral lesson on "Friendship" was taken by Mr. Idel. Leon Fingard, who visited the Religious School and addressed the assembly, has been appointed director of athletic work in the Religious School, with Reuben Ginsberg to assist him. A special room in the Temple House has been set aside for athletic work. A boxing match was held Sunday morning, January 22, under the direction of Mr. Fingard, with Brahm Rubinovitch and Kenneth Van Guen participating. Moving picture on physical training, Sunday morning, January 29, at the Assembly.

The faculty of the Religious School met Tuesday, January 24, Dr. Lyon Bercovitch, chairman. Plans were made for the Purim entertainment. General welfare was discussed. A new Ark for the Torah, the gift of the official board of the congregation, has been placed in the Lecture Hall of the Temple, where children's services are held Saturday mornings.

The musical service for Friday evening, January 27, includes organ prelude, service for Sabbath eve, contralto solo, Mrs. A. S. Schell; and an organ postlude.

Sisterhood has received donations towards the furnishings of the Temple House from: C. N. Sommer, H. Frankel, Mesdames Max Jacobs, J. P. Levee, J. Lewinsohn, L. Samuelsohn, M. Silverstein, Joseph A. Dobrofsky, A. Schwartz, Rabbi H. J. Stern, Lew Jacobs, Mrs. S. Lichtenheim, I. Kamder, Mrs. A. Miller, A. Friedman, A. Sommer, Mesdames M. Margolick, L. Wolfe, A. Simon, G. Fischel, I. M. Rubinovitch, Wiener, H. Robinson, and P. Jacobson, Miss Florence Jacobs, Mesdames Maurice Levy, D. Blumer, A. A. Abrahams and I. Friedman.

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Sabbath, January 28, Sedra-Bo Pentetuchal Portion, Exodus, Chapter 10, Verse 1; Chapter 13, Verse 16. Prophetical Portion, Jeremiah, Chapter 46, Verses 13-28. Sermon, "The Meaning of Prophesy," the first of a series of discourses on the prophets and their message.

Chairmen and members of the educational committee will be at home Thursday evening, February 2, in the Women's Auxiliary Assembly Hall, to parents of children attending Religious School. This will inaugurate the Parents' Association of Shaar Hashomayim.

Mincha, Saturday, January 28, at 4.45 p.m. Maariv, 5.30 p.m., and on Friday, February 3, at 5 p.m.

Shaare Zion Congregation, Claremont Avenue, below Sherbrooke Street. Rabbi Julius Berger

Mesdames J. Finestone and D. Weisman will be conveners at a linen shower at Victoria Hall, January 31, at 2.30, in aid of the second annual miscellaneous sale to be held February 28, at Victoria Hall, under the auspices of Shaare Zion Sisterhood.

HADASSAH

Queen Esther Chapter held its annual ball for 300 people in the piazza of the Mount Royal Hotel Sunday, January 15. The piazza was arranged like a ballroom with flower-trimmed sitting-out places. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wittes received, the latter in a period gown of green and white taffeta. Esther Silverman entertained with a Russian ballet and a jazz dance. Supper at midnight. Balloons, serpentines, favours, etc. Guests included: Mr. and Mrs. M. Kirsch, the latter wearing a black beaded gown; Mr. and Mrs. H. Simon, flesh colour beaded gown; Mr. and Mrs. I. Spector, black beaded gown; Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Schwartz, black chiffon and lace; Mrs. H. Bernstein, black chiffon studded in diamonds; Mrs. D. Miller, black lace gown trimmed with gold; Mr. and Mrs. H. Bazar, blue velvet gown; Mr. and Mrs. L. Miller, white sequins gown; Mr. and Mrs. B. Kahn, red fringe and georgette dress; Mr. and Mrs. H. Timmerman, black velvet gown; Mr. and Mrs. E. Shapiro, of Toronto, white beaded gown; Mr. and Mrs. Rubin, of Toronto, black dress; Mr. and Mrs. J. Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. P. Cohen, white beaded gown; Mr. and Mrs. Kushner, blue georgette beaded; Mr. and Mrs. H. Bacal, green cut velvet gown; Mr. and Mrs. A. Bacal, blue beaded gown; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cohen, pink beaded georgette; Mr and Mrs. Abe Schacter, black velvet; Mrs. A. Ginsberg, red and gold lace; Mr. and Mrs. A. Isenberg, maize georgette; Mr. and Mrs. S. Kalman, black georgette; with metallic trimmings; Mr. and Mrs. I. Tarshis, tan georgette and cut velvet; Mr. and Mrs. H. Sourkes, pale pink beaded gown; Mr. and Mrs. S. Wittes, white taffeta period dress with green trimming; Dr. and Mrs. M. Bloomberg, mauve taffeta; Mrs. J. Amsell, of Newton Centre, Mass., black transparent velvet; Mr. and Mrs. H. Tarshis, orchid moire silk; Dr. and Mrs. Charles Finklestein, Mr. and Mrs. H. Levy, maize crepe; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Benjamin, black velvet and metallic cloth; Mr. and Mrs. Morris Weiner, pale green geogette; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shulman, blue georgette; Mr. and Mrs. Morris Garfinkle, silver cloth and tulle in pastel shades; Mr. and Mrs. H. Goldberg, mauve georgette; Mr. and Mrs. I. Trachtenberg, fawn georgette and gold lace; Mr. and Mrs. O. Bloomfield, flesh colour georgette, beaded; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rosenfeld, green georgette and gold lace; Mr. and Mrs. L. Trachtenberg, black sequins gown; Mr. and Mrs. N. Wexler, black beaded gown; Mr. and Mrs. B. Rosenbaum, pink beaded gown; Mr. and Mrs. L. Climan, black taffeta; Mr. and Mrs. J. Rigler, black transparent velvet with rhinestones; Mr. and Mrs. A. Sourkes, Mr. and Mrs. Poyanner, Mr. and Mrs. J. Nemiroff, Mr. and Mrs. S. Vosberg, Mr. and Mrs. A. Albert, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pesner, Mr. and Mrs. S. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Ornstein, Mr. and Mrs. M. Leon, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Fine; and Dr. Anne Tarshis, blue transparent velvet gown; Misses Lillian Miller, green taffeta in period style; Beckie Hyman, pink taffeta in period style; and Moe Schulman, Saul Miller, Dr. E. Greenspon and H. Batshaw.

The Sybil Cohen Chapter entertained at its third annual supper dance and cabaret at Venetian Gardens Sunday, January 22. The committee in charge consisted of Mesdames M. H. Cohen, N. Rombach, B. Buckman and Misses Esther Bindman, Freda Lewis, Sarah Rombach, Jane Bress, Rae Bindman, Dora Gradinger, Lillian Schwartz and Eva Bindman. Entertainment was given by Miss Dorothy Fisher and her baby doll parade, Flip Silverman, Ethel Cooperstone, Jenny Levine, Jennie Richstone, Ethel Goldberg and Eva Guilaroff, and by an orchestra. Supper at midnight. Balloons, serpentines. Mrs. M. H. Cohen, who received, wore a black velvet gown and a Spanish shawl. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. R. Posner, gold sequin gown; Mr. and Mrs. William Gliserman, black satin and lace; Mrs. T. Peary, black velvet and cloth of gold; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mindlin, metal cloth and French flowers; Mr. and Mrs. J. Capelovitch, black georgette and French flowers; Mr. and Mrs. B. Goodman, blue georgette; Mr. and Mrs. M. Shapiro, red georgette and lace; Mr. and Mrs. M. Solomon, white beaded georgette; Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kiermeyer, white beaded georgette and green Spanish shawl; Mr. and Mrs. H. Rosenberg, green georgette; Mr. and Mrs. J. Uditsky, green crepe romaine and black lace; Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Hoffman, black satin, with rhinestones; Mrs. I. Dworkin, black lace; Mrs. N. Rombach, black velvet; Mr. and Mrs. B. Buckman, green flat crepe; Mr. and Mrs. L. Goldberg, white and green gown; Mrs. M. Gradinger, black beaded gown and Spanish shawl; Mr. and Mrs. M. Leboff, black and flesh, with rhinestone trimming: Mr. and Mrs. I Prupas, Sr., black georgette embroidered in gold; Mr. and Mrs. H. Prupas, Jr., grey georgette studded with rhinestones; Mrs. A. Schwartz, green beaded georgette; Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Feldman, henna satin; Mrs. W. Lecker, black cut velvet; Mr. and Mrs. N. Linden, black georgette and velvet, and Misses F. Fox, of New York, white crepe romaine; Lil Carlton, turquoise blue georgette with French flowers; Rose Rothblatt, blue taffeta period gown; Lillian Shaffer, green and gold tulle; S. Carson, black georgette and rhinestones; Rose Gussman, black satin; Ida Livshitz, black satin and flesh georgette studded with rhinestones; Jennie Bernstein, blue georgette with rhinestone trimming; Bertha Bernstein, blue georgette and velvet; Louisa Boldman, blue taffeta robe de style and Spanish shawl; Dora Gasco, fawn satin; Rose Ness, black velvet robe de style; Eva Bindman, yellow taffeta and black lace; Esther Bindman, white taffeta and rose velvet robe de style; Ida Stubina, pink velvet and blue satin robe de style; Lillie Siegel, black taffeta with tulle frills; Jane Bress, orange velvet robe de style; Lillian Schwartz, orchid raffeta and black lace; Edith Goldner, aurora georgette, French flowers; Sarah Rombach, peach taffeta bouffant; I. Leckner, mauve georgette with sequins; Clara Solomon, white taffeta bouffant; Fanny Shvensky, burnt orange georgette; Annie Elias, white beaded georgette; S. Selsky, sand georgette and gold lace; Dora Gradinger, white satin; Emma Ginsberg, pink taffeta; Sprinta Glasser, gold velvet; Rae Bindman, green transparent velvet; Yetta Sandler, black chiffon and lace; Kate Rehr, black taffeta and cream lace; Lena Levin,

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Excavations in the 'Mound of Napoleon'

(The Hebrew Union College joined hands with the Hebrew University of Jerusalem in an enterprise of great moment to the archaeological research in Palestine. It was the excavation of the "Mound of Napoleon" near ancient Jaffa. The place had long been viewed as a potential source of wealth from the historian's standpoint and the generosity of Max Rosenbloom of Cleveland, Ohio, enabled work to be begun, he having supplied the Hebrew Union College with funds for the inception of the task. The results are described in a translation from a Jerusalem paper here printed.)

"Gibeat Napoleon," a stretch of upward of thirty dunam, which rises about twenty meters above its immediate environs, between Nahal Muerara and the waters of the Yarkon, close by the new Jewish suburbs, Hamath Gan, and the suburb Boruchov adjoining Tel Aviv—last year passed from the hands of its original owners, the Germans of Sharona, into those of Isaac Leib Goldberg, it being adjacent to the Goldberg orchard.

Folk legend ascribes the existence of the mount to Napoleon Bonaparte, who, as is well known, fought in the environs of Jaffa; and it is related that one night the Napoleonic regiments erected this mound from which he assaulted Jaffa. This legend which, according to latest excavations, has no substantial foundation, brought it about that until recently archaeologists and topographists paid no attention to this place at all. The Germans, owners of the mound, began to plant trees about it and plow over it. But about two years ago ancient tombs were uncovered in the Goldberg orchard—which lies, as stated above, adjacent to the mound—when pits were being dug for the planting of new trees. These tombs contained vessels of clay and bronze from the Canaanitish period. It became known then that in the course of the past several years various tombs of this sort had been uncovered in that neighbourhood. The problem arose: Where was the settlement for which this place served as burial ground? It was then that attention was directed to "Gibeat Napoleon," whose Arabic name is Tel Gerisha (after the name of the adjoining Arabic village, Gerisha), as being evidence of an ancient settlement.

When the mound came into the possession of J. L. Goldberg, he expressed his desire to make, on his own account, a preliminary experimental excavation of this ground in order to satisfy himself whether the place was really ancient. (In passing, it may be noted that the conjecture that this might be the sight of an ancient settlement aroused in him the desire to acquire it in order to give the Jewish archaeologists the opportunity to excavate it.) The government would not give its consent to amateur excavation, but demanded rather systematic excavations, which were bound up with larger ones.

After the archaeologists of the Hebrew University, Dr. A. L. Suknik, investigated the site, and found that the site was worthy of scientific systematic excavations, the University decided—after certain monetary promises from Mr. Goldberg—to begin excavating. For this purpose the University made use also of a sum of money that was given by the Hebrew Union College, of Cincinnati, for archaeological work.

The work of excavation began at the close of Sivan of the current year in two places on the mound—at the summit where an ancient city fortress stood, according to conjecture, and on the western slope of the mound where it was presumed according to topographical conditions, the city gate might have been. Thirty men worked on the excavations over a period of two months. Besides Mr. Suknik, who superintended the work, there was a sketcher, a surveyor, and a supervisor of the work.

They began with the excavation of a ditch on the summit, in order to ascertain the depth of the earliest cultural strata. Under the upper stratum of dirt, at a depth of about twenty centimeters, remains of buildings appeared marking the site of the latest period of settlement. On account of the constant plowing over many years, and the removal of stones and potsherds which the plowing brought to the surface, the upper layer was entirely demolished. Only broken potsherds and other remains testified to this settlement. From these remains we may learn that the latest period of settlement on this site was not later than three thousand years ago (that is, in the first centuries of the coming of the Israelites). Numerous pieces of broken vessels were uncovered which many Palestinian archaeologists have been accustomed to classify under the name "Philistinian." Many pieces of broken pottery were revealed which bore designs showing Aegean and Mediterranean influence. Penetrating just under the upper layer, they uncovered pottery belonging to an older period which was in much better condition than the remains in the upper layer. In one corner of the ditch which they were excavating they came to a solid lump of stones which bore testimony that it once formed a part of the city wall. Excavation on the site of the ditch began to assume systematic proportions, and layer after layer was dug out. The upper layer, for some distance, has been laid bare, and it is possible to see it to-day on the mound.

On the slope, the excavations indicate that the latter settlement did not spread to that point. And from the upper period, at the summit (the beginning of the "iron age") hardly any traces were found. And here, not at great depth, under the upper layer of dust, were also uncovered immediately remnants of buildings. During the excavation, it became clear that these remnants are parts of a gate of an ancient city, like the gates that were found lately in ancient Shehem or like those that were found before the war at Beth Shemesh, which is on the railroad line to Jerusalem, near the station Har-Tob. Various vessels that were found there indicate that these gates belong to the middle bronze period, about 2000 to 2500 B.C. Near the gate were found foundations of a large building of several rooms and of about fifteen meters in length. This building because of its largeness, according to the standards of those days, was certainly not a private building, but seemingly belonged to a fortress near the gate. Near this building and on a straight line from the entrance of the gate, was uncovered a large square pit hewn in the rock and covered inside with large stones, which served as a part of the fortification of the city, like that which was found lately at the city gate in ancient Shehem. Above the floor of the building, about 20 centimeters or more, lay a layer of dust which indicates that this place was destroyed and burned at an early age. On the ruins of the building, a new one was erected at a much later period, in the end of the bronze age, from which the excavators succeeded to salvage but very little on account of the constant plowing that was done there.

During the excavation, many vessels of great variety which belonged to very ancient periods were uncovered. A small number of potsherds were found outside of the gate, which point to an ancient settlement there, at least about 4500 B.C. (i.e. from the very beginning of the "bronze age"). The larger part of the vessels that were found there belong to the middle period of the "bronze age." Among these there are earthenware which excel in workmanship and in artistic form. Painted vessels, the colours of which are still preserved to a certain extent, were found mainly from the last period of the "bronze age." Among these vessels, there are types such that were not found as yet to this very day in any of the Palestinian excavations. The paintings in the vessels point to cultural connections that were established in very ancient times between this part of Palestine and the cultural centres of the Mediterranean countries, like Cyprus, Creto and the Greek Islands. The vessels point also to cultural relations between ancient Palestine and Egypt during the Patriarchal age.

Also a number of vessels made of flint were found there and though they were used chiefly during the "stone age," the usage of them continued even in the later periods, especially for religious purpose. Also various vessels of bronze were found there. Handles of spears, swords, arrows, needles and pins and the like. Also many stone vessels were found of basalt and other kinds of stone, and also a number of black and white weight-stones.

Among the minor discoveries it is worth mentioning: a handle of a pitcher on which there is an engraved seal from the time of Hykos; a tablet of a naked Ashtoreth, the head of which is cut off, and a number of handles upon which there are signs of graves, and so forth.

During the excavations, the numerous findings were kept in a special room in Mr. Goldberg's orchard, which is set aside for this purpose, and now they will be taken over to Jerusalem and be kept temporarily in the University Museum which is in the Institute of Jewish Sciences on Mount Scopus.

While the work was going on, the excavations were visited by many famous Palestinian archaeologists. Among them, the Dominican Father Vincent, the greatest authority on Palestinian archaeology; Professor Butin, the Director of the American Archaeological Institute in Jerusalem; Dr. Speiser, the present Professor of the American Archaeological Institute in Bagdad; Mr. Crowfoot, the director of the British Archaeological Institute, and his Assistant, Fitz-Gerald, and Professor Alt of Leipzig, the director of the German Archaeological Institute, and others. All of them were profoundly interested in this site which has not been thoroughly investigated as yet.

The excavation work has been suspended for a while because of lack of funds. The directors of the University, however, hope to obtain sufficient funds for the continuation of this interesting excavation, for it may throw new light upon the culture of that locality before the entrance of the Israelites into the Land.

Saul Weislow, 19, a junior in the University of Chicago, was elected captain of the university's football team for next year.

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COMMENTARIES

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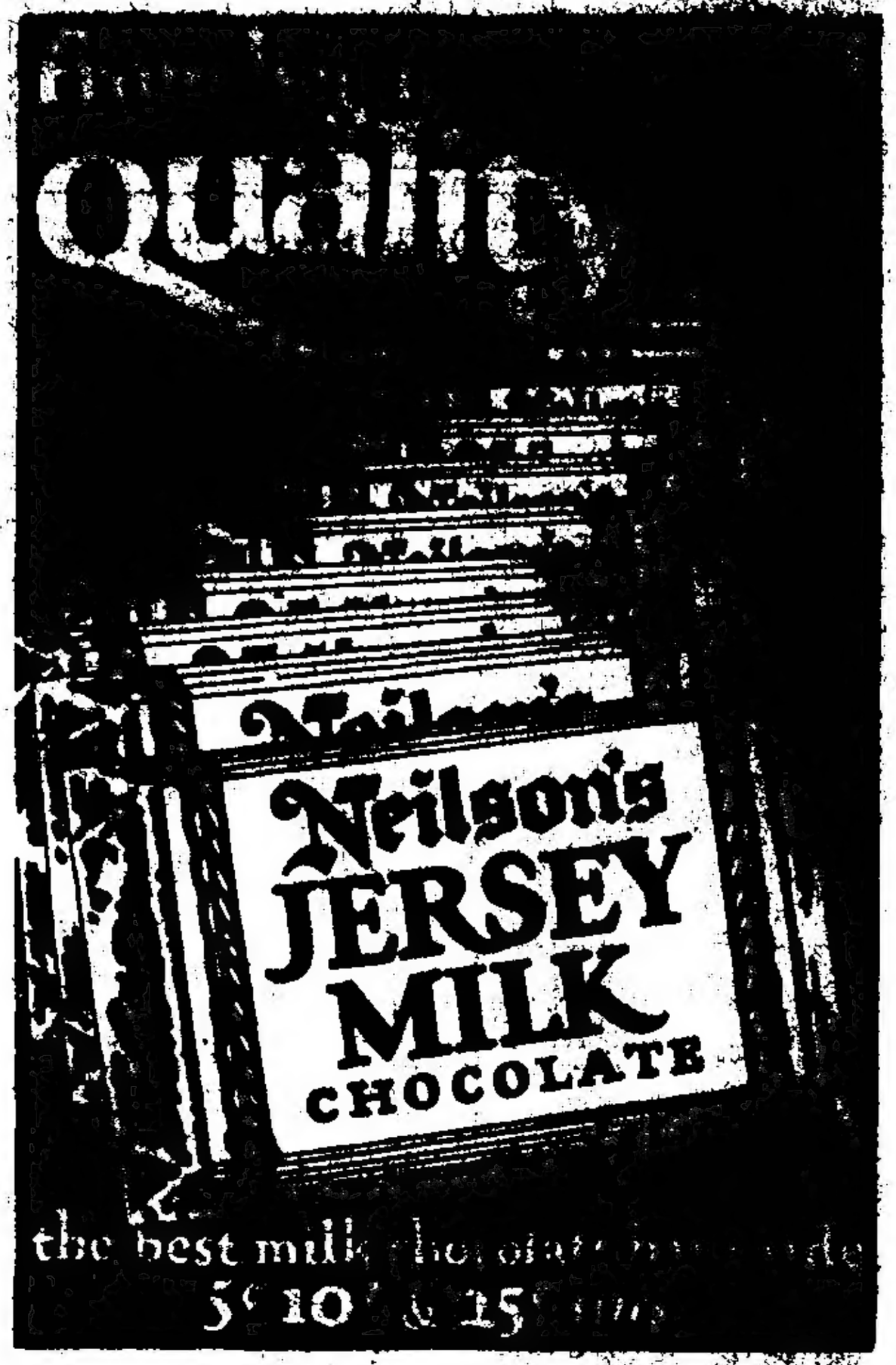
Associate Contributing Editor

The Covering of the Head

A reader asks us to pen a paragraph on the origin of "head-covering" –a custom insisted upon by the orthodox especially during the performance of religious acts. The origin of this practice is easily traced to the Orient. No Mohammedan who wishes to be dignified ever appears in public without his turban. Bare-headedness is especially prohibited during prayer in the Mohammedan religion. No Oriental ever appears bare-headed before any one whom he wishes to show respect. In occidental countries, the sign of respect has ever been to uncover the head. Liberal Jews feel that it is more in keeping with their daily lives and everyday conduct to show respect to God by uncovering the head. It is interesting to note that the covering of the head is not based on any biblical law whatever. The priest only was commanded to wear the "mitznefeth" while officiating. But the people at large were never commanded to cover their heads. The Talmud, however, has references to the fact that adults covered their heads during prayer. (Kid. 31a). Yet we find in the Talmud Semahoth that at the burial of a loved one, one should stand with covered head as a sign of grief, but when the grave is filled, the latter should uncover the head as a sign of respect. Solomon Luria (17th century) boldly states that the covering of the head during prayer is merely a custom and a matter of propriety. It is interesting to note that the Gaon of Wilna (18th century) the greatest rabbinic authority of that time declared in his code that the custom of covering the head is not an obligatory one, and even prayers could be offered with uncovered head, if it were not for the fact that propriety had made it mandatory to cover one's head during worship. It was Aaron Chorin (1826) in his work, "Iggereth Eliasof," who boldly insisted upon the change from covered to uncovered head, pointing out that since the covered head is a sign of respect in the Occident, we must adopt the occidental manner of praying to God respectfully. In America, praying with uncovered head was first introduced in Temple Emanu-El, New York, and is now the predominating custom in the Reform Congregations of the United States. But the efficacy of prayer, after all, does not depend on "hat on or hat off"- but upon the heart and mind of the individual.

The Art of Thinking

Havelock Ellis in his great book "The Dance of Life," speaks of the art of thinking. There is no doubt that "thinking" is one of the greatest of arts. For thinking is a creative process even as painting. Thinking requires periods of meditation. But because of our hustle and bustle few of us find leisure to enter the sanctuary of our souls for reflection and introspection. And is it not interesting to observe that the Mahatma Ghandi once every week enters into twenty-four hours of meditation? It is indeed important for every individual to learn the art of thinking. So few of us do think. With most of us thinking is a lost art. That is why progress is such a slow process. That is the very reason why lecturers who invoke thought are looked upon as radicals. Let us not fear thought.



MINERVA CIRCLE

Minerva Circle met at the home of Miss Edythe Magill, Hutchison Street. Misses Leonie Leiffer and Lea Schultz read papers. A symposium was held. A social meeting was held at the home of Miss Jessie Neamtan, January 10.

MONEY NEEDED

A. J. Livinson, chairman of Jewish Section, Maccabaean Committee, McGill University Library, is collecting for the Jewish section of McGill University Library and the Hebrew courses of McGill Semitic Department.

SEWING CIRCLE HOLDS SHOWER FOR MATERNITY HOSPITAL

The Women's Hebrew Sewing Circle gave a linen shower in aid of the Hebrew Maternity Hospital at the home of Mrs. M. Greenberg, 2148 Montgomery Street. Bridge was played at twenty tables. Covers were laid for sixty. Members include Mesdames A. Slatcoff, M. Greenberg, J. Greenberg, M. Palefsky, L. Palefsky, S. Walkov, A. Kunner, M. Goldstein, L. Goldsmith, S. Kiate, A. Israels, J. Brownstein, L. Macklin, M. Cohen, S. Ellenbaum, P. Paskin, M. Gartenberg, J. Propas, Myer Cohen and N. Payne. Hand-made bridge prizes were donated by the members.

GIRL OUT OF DANGER

Amelia (Amy) Keyfitz, eleven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Keyfitz, of Addington Avenue, N.D.G., and pupil at Herbert Symonds School, who submitted to two serious operations for mastoids within the past three weeks, is reported out of danger. The little girl, who has been desperately ill since last fall, is still in the Montreal General Hospital, but her return home is expected shortly.

LODGE INSTALS OFFICERS

Royal Albert Lodge, No. 16, Knights of Pythias, held its open installation and supper dance at Morin Building, Park Avenue, on Jan. 17. Grand Vice-Chancellor O. Marcuse presided at the installation, assisted by Supreme representatives Payne and M. Baker, past grand chancellor Gustave Dutaud, K.C., and Sherrington, G.K. of R. & S. Past chancellor's jewels were presented to H. M. Mauer and H. Schneider by proxy. Guests at the supper dance which followed were: Dr. and Mrs. O. Marcuse, Mr. and Mrs. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Freedlander, Mr. and Mrs. Saul Lipson, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Goldberg, Mr. and Mrs. R. Ptack, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rabinovitch, Mr. and Mrs. Phil. Lipson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Becker, Mr. and Mrs. M. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Tessler, Mr. and Mrs. C. Smith, Misses Sara Berman, Edith Bailey, Leah Becker, Bertha Cooperman, Mattie Finestone, Bobbie Fruteransky, Goldie Epstein, Bea Goldapple, T. Levinson, E. Schacter, Francis Sabbath, Mae Sherman, S. Wise, Messrs. M. Baker, Gustave Dutaud, K.C., Sherrington, S. Becker, D. L. Bernstein, Al Cohen, D. S. Cramer, Moe Clamen, H. A. Daniels, H. Isaenman, M. Greenstein, Moe Pellat, N. Rosenberger, Paul Segal, I. Shapiro, M. Signer, Moe Vilner and Alexander Wise.

AARON SAPIRO SPEAKS HERE JANUARY 31

Aaron Sapiro, lawyer and orator, will address the Y.M.H.A. Forum, Tuesday evening, January 31, at Windsor Hall, on "An Experience with American Justice." There will be 780 seats. Less than a year ago, newspapers compared the rise of Henry Ford, billionaire, from his low beginning as a mechanic, with that of Aaron Sapiro, the orphan boy, who rose to the position from which he could face Ford unafraid on behalf of the Jews of the world. Aaron Sapiro is the organizer of sixty Farmers' Co-operative Associations throughout the United States and Canada with a membership of 500,000 independent producers.

LADIES' BIKUR CHOILIM SOCIETY

The board of the Ladies' Bikur Choilim Society met at the home of Mrs. S. Marks, 5149 St. Urbain Street, Tuesday, January 17. Mrs. M. Lefkowitz presided. Mrs. I. Cohen read the minutes. New cases were reported by Mrs. J. Goldman and Mrs. B. Thaw. Relief cheques were distributed. Mrs. S. Marks donated a relish dish, which was won by Mrs. M. Beecher, who donated $1. The raffle netted $7.25. Mrs. S. Marks and daughter, Mrs. A. Rill, who assisted in serving, were thanked. Donations were: through Mrs. M. Lefkowitz from the King Edward Society, $30; through Mrs. Halperin, from D. Schiller, $1; Mrs. P. Koopferstock, from the Monument National Theatre, $4; A. Poyaner, $2. Mesdames G. Surchuck, M. Backler, A. Leve, S. Klapper, L. Shapiro and J. Wisenfelt, $1 each; and Mrs. L. Nemeroff, 50c. A samovar tea will be served at a bridge given by Mrs. W. Schneider in aid of the Ladies' Bikur Choilim Society at Chevra Kadisha reception rooms, Mance Street, January 31, at 2.30 p.m.

BNAI BRITH INSTALLATION

Hon. Leonard J. Obermeier, of New York, former attorney-general for the State of New York, presided at the installation of officers at Monroe Royal [illegible]

Portrait of a Prodigal Son

A story by [illegible]

All marks of foreignness were gone from him, and in life at home he believed to be fashioned by the customs of the land. He had come to stay, he said, and one who longs to thrive in a new land and become part of it must send his roots deep into the soil. Shallow soil it was, he conceded, but rich in promise of its fat and the deepening of its sources.

As soon as he was aware that Winnipeg would be the place where he would raise a family, and Canada, his home, Aaron Brownstein turned Alfred Brown. A native product must bear a native name, he argued with his mocking friends, and Rebecca Lefkowitz agreed with him. Through the intuition that was his calm wisdom Alfred knew that Rebecca liked him at first sight as much as he liked her, and that she would consent to be his wife when the time was ripe for the asking.

Before a year was over he had married her, and to the county clerk who issued their marriage license Rebecca gave her name as Bernice, to please the man she loved from then to the end of her days. Alfred thought the change unnecessary, but Mrs. Bernice Brown being euphonious to his ears, and other thoughts just then being uppermost in his mind, he said nothing to his wife about the wisdom of her change. And Bernice she remained from that day on.

They moved into a small furnished flat in a Gentile neighbourhood, to be close to the department store where Alfred was employed as manager of the shoe department. Bernice had resigned her position as cashier in a restaurant, and not having had the advantages of a European education as Alfred had, she began to study. And he, too, invested his free time in reading books and acquainting himself with the culture of the country that had adopted him. At first he measured all he read by comparison with the Russian masters he had admired, and found the English bards wanting. But by degrees he became assimilated to the English word and phrase, and his taste appreciative of the richness of the English literature. Gradually he grew to like it with maturer understanding than he had ever liked the creative works of other lands. Bernice had lesser joy in her studies, but speaking, as they always did, the language of the land, she lost all foreign accent, and her vocabulary widened sufficiently to give her tongue full freedom. Alfred encouraged her to continue her studies and the hope of becoming as educated and cultured as her husband spurred her on.

When the time came she gave birth to a boy, and they were asked to move from the flat, where children were not allowed. Alfred foamed his anger at the Irish landlady who considered childbirth a disease, but secretly was glad that that was the only reason they had been served the notice.

Just then Alfred had entered into business for himself, and now that they were forced to move from their flat he found a little cottage in the neighbourhood of his business, where they settled with their own furniture and household goods. The arrival of his son, the opening of his own business, and the establishing of his home combined to give Alfred the joy of feeling his tentacles reaching down deep into the ground. Here he would grow and develop, not an outcast amongst nations, an undesirable foreigner, but a Canuck, and a British subject. The thought of his being a British subject filled him with pride. And he began to interest himself in politics. Not actively, but as other citizens did. By reading the newspapers each day after coming home from work.

Life became a duty, and Alfred fulfilled it as such. Each morning he went to work, returned after six in the afternoon, dined, [illegible] and the baby, changed into comfortable apparel, attended [illegible] and then, at a time [illegible] himself in the rocker on the porch and participated in the world's affairs—especially those of more vital importance to him as a British subject.

Besides his new all concern about the baby and the home. She no longer read, but worried more about baby's food, and baby's great weakness—its stomach. And by the time baby was large enough to move about and break the dishes she gave birth to another child. This time a girl. And again, Bernice and Alfred squabbled mildly about the name. When their first child was born Bernice wanted to call him Avrohom after her father. But Alfred would not listen to the idea of handicapping his child with a name that would certainly be changed to Abie—the very wall that he had tried to completely demolish. George Bernard Brown is what he had decided upon. That he reached that decision immediately after reading "Major Barbara" he did not explain. And George Bernard Brown it remained. But Bernice registered her objection by never calling the child by name. Instead she called him "Junior." Now that a girl was born Bernice wanted to call her Libe, after her grandmother. But Alfred had chosen the name long before the child was born, Olive.

"Why Olive? Why not Green or Champagne?"

"Because Olive is a beautiful name," Alfred argued, knowing that he was uttering only half the truth, determined never to disclose to his wife the sentimental part of him that desired to have Olive Schreiner commemorated in his household.

The child was christined Olive, but Bernice registered her protest again. And "Sister" was her name for years to come.

By the time Paul came into their lives they had already moved into their own home on the West Side. A house with a top floor to it, and a basement where the furnace was below the surface of the ground. No part of the house made Alfred so happily proud of his ownership as the basement. Its being in the ground seemed symbolical to him. Up on top, in the front room, they had a large mahogany phonograph filled with records from operas, popular waltzes, and Harry Lauder. Above the phonograph was a neat print of Europa on the Bull. The rest of the furniture, heavy mahogany, matched in sanctimonious taste the dining room set beyond the arched doorway that divided the two rooms. For blocks in that neighbourhood, Alfred knew, the houses were arranged in that way, with only minor variations. It was somewhat too placid and vacuous an arrangement and bored him at times, but he consoled himself that his children growing on that soil would, like their neighbours, prefer such a mode of living.

It was then, too, that Alfred entered into partnership with James McLeod, salesman of a local shoe manufacturer. They opened three stores over the city under the name of "The McLeod-Brown Booteries." And in this partnership, too, Alfred sought a symbol. He began associating with the McLeods, and their leisure being limited, their association gradually curbed all others, until the McLeods were the only ones that came to their home once a month, and whose home they visited as often. Gradually Alfred felt his amalgamation growing upon him. In his coat lapel he now carried a Masonic insignia. He belonged to the West Side Citizens' Improvement Association. He had contributed generously to a children's asylum being erected in the city. He became a member of the Chamber of Commerce. And he joined the Committee of Patriotic Citizens.

Once he caught his wife playing with Olive and Paul, and telling them of her own childhood amongst gentile [illegible] were miserable. And in her talk she called Paul Paulele and Paulinue. Alfred became enraged and scolded his wife for instilling into the minds of their children the knowledge of racial differences. Even her endearing terms he pronounced injurious to their young minds. He wanted to give his children a fair chance of freedom from warping complexes and inhibitions. British subjects they were born and as such they should grow up amongst the other Canucks, unhampered by sickly prejudices of racial misconceptions. He talked on. Bernice looked at him in surprise, little suspecting that he merely repeated, in a louder tone, arguments he had offered that day to one who had approached him as a prospective member of the local B'nai B'rith order.

Just then Junior walked in with a broken nose. With blood streaming from his broken member, his wails vibrating through the cut-glass on the buffet in the dining room, Junior sputtered out his story. Rusty, a schoolboy of his own age, had quarrelled with him about a matter of arithmetic, and when worsted in the argument, bespattered Junior with nicknames "Abie" and "dirty Kike," to which Junior responded with "dirty Irishman" and "Blockie." Rusty then began to fight and broke his nose.

"The dirty Irishman!" Bernice muttered.

Alfred shot at her a look that silenced her for the day. But it gave him no peace. Where did the children pick up these racial hatreds? He was a British subject and determined to find the source. And when Junior's nose was attended to, Alfred visited the principal of Junior's school. He was received with smiling friendliness, and, after his story was told, assured that the principal would investigate the case.

"Or course, your children seem hypersensitive and more querulous," the principal explained.

Alfred protested. To the contrary Junior was particularly good-natured.

"I don't mean your boy, Mr. Brown," Mr. Campbell interrupted him. "But my experience with Jewish children convinces me that they are more sensitive and querulous than ours."

Alfred left the school with the last words of the principal stinging in his ears. "Ours!"

But business has a way of keeping men from thinking thoughts of vital value to themselves. And Alfred had to return to his stores, thriving, growing institutions in his partnership with McLeod. And when time soothed his rage he cancelled his subscription to the Anglo-Jewish publication that had been coming to his home each month. Amalgamation, he realized, must fail unless there comes a thorough assimilation; and a beginning never comes in the middle. Of one thing he took care: that his children should know nothing of religion. Religion he accused of wilfully creating walls between man and man, where no other differences existed. And when approached that week for a contribution to a church around the corner from where he lived, he refused. The smiling gentleness that was his lot amongst his friends and neighbours, and that Alfred interpreted as a brotherly desire to accept him as their own, now changed to wrath when he refused to aid their need of another house of religion. Insinuations were made that a Jew and his money are hard to part, and that a good Canadian is a good Christian. Alfred was steadfast in his refusal, but in his heart he felt a change.

During Christmas eve that year, after the children had been put to bed with Paul still sighing, after crying until his eyes were red for a Christmas tree, Alfred and his wife remained in the dining room drinking tea and watching in silence the bright lights in a front room across the street, and people flitting by in silhouetted happiness. Alfred left his seat and in his slippered feet ran upstairs for a book he had begun the day before. But Bernice did not let him read. For no [illegible] she felt melancholic and sick at heart just then and wished her husband and herself might play a game of cards.

"You know, it must be 'Chanukah' some of these days, so let's celebrate," she coaxed him with a smile.

He put his book away and brought a pack. And as they played they tuned their ears to strains of music outside and glanced at the multi-coloured lights in the window opposite.

"I read in the papers to-day that they kicked out the Jewish students of a Hungarian university just because they were Jews," Bernice broke the silence.

"That was in Hungary! Here such a thing could not happen!" He chopped his response and continued to shuffle the cards. But he lost interest in the game and talked in vague terms about the advantages of true democracy. He talked on, but his lips did not utter his thoughts. And when the lights across the street went out and the clock in the kitchen coughed the eleventh hour Alfred and Bernice retired.

Two days later Alfred came home minus his mustache. He had taken it off because his partner mentioned that it gave him quite a foreign look. But to admit that to his wife would be equal to destroying her respect for him, and Alfred urged his inventiveness to find a valid excuse. Bernice listened to his explanation with doubting ears, for she had liked his mustache, and without it he seemed strange to her.

And in the spring, when Alfred desired the acquisition of a dog, Bernice suspected that there was something wrong with the tissue of her husband's brain. But the McLeod's had a dog, and it seemed the vogue of their neighbourhood. Thus Faust was added to the family. At first Bernice feared the young wolfish police dog, but by degrees he became established in their affections.

And when Faust took sick Alfred was as concerned as if a child were ill, and phoned twice a day to learn the dog's condition. Then the dog died, and the children buried him and erected a cross above his grave. Alfred resented the cross and ordered a slab of granite bearing the inscription:

Here lieth
Faust
Faithful Dog of the
Brown Family

Then followed a date. The children talked about getting another dog, but Alfred gave it no thought, his mind disturbed with George Bernard's entrance into the Manitoba University.

On the third day of his son's college career he came home with a torn shirt and his face so marred with scars as to leave no feature recognizable. Bernice's heart was full of pain, and Alfred's full of anxiety.

What had happened he told them later when his clothes were changed and his wounds were dressed. A sickly student, a Russian Jew, refused to offer any fun in the initiation parade because of his health. But the students dragged him forth and called him a coward and other vile names. George Bernard interfered, and he, too, was called Jew and coward for his interference. In return George broke one student's nose and split the lip of another. Then they jumped on him as a mob.

Alfred shook his head wistfully and murmured something about "the wall." But business has a way of keeping men close to the trough where life flows with the tastelessness of tepid unsalted water. And those who drink that water once as a drug, soon become addicted to it, and accept it as the food and essence of their being. And Alfred was a great success in his own line. George Bernard had joined a Jewish club in the university and become a member of the Young Zionist Organization. But Alfred went his way, still convinced that the wall could be broken down until men are judged as men and not upon 'their racial faults or virtues. And just then [illegible]

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every friday

"Sometimes when people censure me,
I tell them without rancour
That for what it cost me to be free
I might have had an anchor."

The *New York World* runs the story this week of how Mrs. Grace M. Burnham (formerly Bernheim), of New York, after a childless wifehood of five years and three years of widowhood, has given birth to a daughter by a young man selected unromantically as a suitable father for a eugenic baby. At present writing the filthy tabloids are no doubt busy on the case, but the *New York World*, one of the best newspapers in the world, carries several most sympathetic write-ups.

Mrs. Burnham is the daughter of Dr. Max Mailhouse, a prominent physician of New Haven, Conn. She is the widow of Lee S. Burnham, who changed his name during the war and who was the son of Isaac W. Bernheim, wealthy distiller of Louisville, Ky., and a heavy contributor to Hebrew Union College. The *World* describes Mrs. Burnham as a beautiful woman of thirty-seven, highly educated, a woman of culture and refinement. She has written on the subject of workers' health problems and is associated with the Workers' Health Bureau and similar movements to which she has given financial aid.

The man Mrs. Burnham chose as the father of her daughter is said to be "of good family and good character with the proper eugenic background." In the deliberately arranged union there "was nothing which approached promiscuity." The woman did not want to grow old without a son or daughter and did not want to marry again or to adopt a child. This one is her own and by her arrangement no responsibility rests on the father, nor has he any claim on the child. Her plan was carried out with the approval of a broad-minded family and with the co-operation of an aunt living in New York. The name of the child's father is given on the birth certificate, but is withheld from publication, that is, as long as the dirty tabloids are unable to steal it, of course. It is against the law in New York to show birth certificates to any one not having a "personal right or interest therein." It is also not necessary to give the name of the father of an illegitimate child.

The baby's name is Vera, from the Latin word "veritas" or truth. She is a lucky little girl, the child of quality, evidently. Parents selected by chance, impulse, love or dowry are certainly not always that. So, essentially, Vera is more fortunate than millions of other new babies. To-day she is very famous and intense public interest followed the announcement of her birth and how it was planned. Her mother's avoidance of marriage was most unconventional. Vera is an illegitimate child and her mother is an iconoclast from the modern social point of view. But by the time Vera is a big girl the future will have brought forth many a changed idea in the proprieties. The best thing about this screeching age is that some changes which should come do come swiftly and some conventions accepted when Vera's mother was born have been dumped already as excess baggage.

Mrs. Burnham is lucky to live in a family and a social group no member of which will draw its uncontaminated skirts away from her in contempt and loathing. Had she lived in a narrow, stifling village hers would have been the usual tragedy that centres about a girl without a marriage license and the baby on her arm for all that. Just the same, the leering world that encloses her circle is crammed with transfixed Puritans already crying out in horror against this shameless woman who has followed the rule of common sense and made her life happier and fuller. Even the candor, the frankness and clarifying sunlight that sweeps through this case may not soften their denunciations. But they can not live forever. A freer wave than they have ever known laps at their feet and King Canutes are as powerless to-day as that other one who commanded the sea to move back to its place.

Mrs. Burnham's act in filling an empty spot in her life was one of the highest courage. Professor Ellsworth Huntington, research associate of Yale University, calls her unconventional procedure and its result a notable scientific experiment. Honest, direct, liberal-minded people without evil, sordid thoughts will regard it as a social experiment of importance and dignity or merely as a perfectly natural event in the life of an individual. The woman who achieved it had the world to gain and only her chains to lose. Her action took her to one of the few real high-spots in life from which unbending convention would have cheated her. She was no crusader on purpose, but she has struck a goodly blow at one of the shackles that keep this world from being free.

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Social Life in 1904— Do You Remember?—

Miss Minnie Rittenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Rittenberg, 31 Grange Avenue, Toronto, was married to I. Levinoff, of Ottawa, in the Elm Street Synagogue. Rabbi Jacobs, assisted by Rabbi Barcovitz, officiated. The bride was given away by her father. She wore white taffeta under mouseline de soie, a veil of Brussels net caught with orange blossoms and lilies of the valley, and carried fan covered with white point d'esprit. He shower bouquet was of bridal roses and lilies. Miss Rittenberg, maid of honour, wore white eolienne over taffeta, a large hat of white chiffon with white ostrich feathers, and carried pale yellow chrysanthemums. Misses Belle Rittenberg and Annie Levinoff were bridesmaids in white China silk with hats of white chiffon and carried pink chrysanthemums. P. Rittenberg and A. Levinoff were ushers. The bridegroom gave them fleur-de-lys pins. His present to the bride was a pair of diamond ear-rings; to the maid of honour a pearl sunburst, and to the bridesmaids each a pearl ring. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents at which one hundred guests were served dinner. The room was decorated with palms and chrysanthemums. The bride's going-away costume was a tweed tailored suit with fur coat and mink hat. The couple were to live in Toronto. From out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Levinoff, parents of the groom, Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. M. Rittenberg, Montreal; Mrs. D. Boyaner, sister of the bride, Winnipeg; H. Levinoff, Montreal; Misses F. and A. Levinoff, Ottawa; A. Grossman, Chicago; S. Goldbloom, Worcester, Mass.; and E. L. and J. Rosenthal, Montreal. Young People's Society of Montreal heard Miss Muriel Hart read a paper on "The Jew in English Fiction of the Nineteenth Century." Clarence I. De Sola spoke later on "Zionism from an Economic Standpoint." King Edward Avenue Synagogue in Ottawa was formally opened. Rev. M. Mirsky and a choir of boys sang, among them Charlie Sherman and Bernard Myers. A. J. Freiman was chairman. He presented the golden key to I. Slonemsky, president. Rabbis Sprince and Abramowitz, of Montreal, spoke; also Rabbi M. Levin, of Ottawa. Henry Weinfeld, of Montreal, read a paper on "Reuchlin and Pfeferkom" to Young People's Society of Shaar Hashomayim. Miss Rhoda Block recited "Hagar." I. Cohen sang. Maxwell Goldstein's vote of thanks was seconded by David Levy.

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CANADIANS IN LOS ANGELES

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus J. Glickman, 1516 North Normandie Avenue, Hollywood, have returned from their honeymoon spent in Honolulu.

Mrs. Arthur Glesby, Monrovia, has as her guests Mrs. Joseph Cohen and children, of Montreal; Mrs. Ashheim and family and Mrs. Slozberg and family, San Francisco.

Mrs. Starke, of San Francisco, returning from Montreal, New York and other eastern points, spent a few days in Los Angeles before going home.

Mrs. L. Silverman and daughter, Winnipeg, are here.

Sam Zimmerman motored from Vancouver and is with his mother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Shragge and daughter, of Kenora, are spending the winter in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Glickman and daughter, Muriel, Montreal, are expected shortly and will be the guests of Mrs. Naomi Glickman, West 8th Street.

The engagement is announced of Miss Churney Samuels, daughter of Mrs. Harry Samuels and the late Mrs. S[illegible] of Toronto), to Mr. and Mrs. Friedman, of Baltimore. Wedding takes place February 22.

Among those who are entertaining in honour of Miss Churney Samuels, are Mrs. L. Adler, kitchen shower; Miss Ethel Samuels and Miss Sylvia Rubin, bridal shower.

Mrs. Naomi Glickman, West Eighth Street, entertained at a buffet supper and evening in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus J. Glickman whose marriage took place recently. About forty guests were present.

Mrs. Riggenthal, Parkman Place, gave a luncheon bridge in honour of Mrs. Rothbart. Those present included Mesdames Myre Freeman, Misrack, Simpkins, Weiner, Silverman, Michansky, Epstein, Hyman, Frank Smith.

Mrs. Myre Freeman entertained informally Tuesday evening.

Miss Malca Gordon gave a dinner dance at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Gordon, June Street, in honour of the visiting students from Berkely and Stanford Universities. About thirty-six guests were present. Miss Gordon also entertained at tea Saturday for Misses Myrtle Sobel and Helen Kirshbaum, of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Wienstein, Pasadena, entertained at dinner Thursday evening. Covers were laid for eight.

Mr. and Mrs. David Gordon are spending the week-end at Arrowhead Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Myers motored to San Francisco over the week-end.

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Miss S. Michaelson is a guest here.

Mr and Mrs. I. Myers, Wilmington, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Gordon over the week-end.

Mrs. H. Ciment, Montreal, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Tannenbaum.

Those entertaining for Mrs. Ciment, Montreal, were: Mr. and Mrs. S. Morantz, theatre party; Mrs. Sid. Tannenbaum, luncheon; Mrs. S. Morantz, luncheon; Mr. and Mrs. Morris Pakin, theatre party.

Mrs S. Morantz, Misses Tannenbaum and Mrs. H. Ciment motored to San Diego where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs Jack Ciment.

WINDSOR

The Zionist Educational Committee held a meeting, with nearly the whole Jewish community present. Jacob Beller, journalist and lecturer, spoke January 15, at the Talmud Torah, on "The Thirtieth Anniversary of Zionism." Mr. Beller, of Spain, is touring Canada for the Zionist Organization. Those on the committee are: Dr. I. M. Cherniak, Bernard Caplan, K.C., Z. Glanz.

OSHAWA

A dinner and reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Engel, Oshawa, in honour of the marriage of their son, Jack, to Florence Lollie Griesman. Covers were laid for forty guests. The tea table was decorated with smilax, roses and tulips. Mrs. S. A. Engel poured the tea, assisted by Mrs. Jack Engel. A letter of presentation was read by Mrs. A. Swartz. The young couple were presented with a silver entree dish from their friends in Oshawa. Out-of-town guests were: L. Griesman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Friedman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Breslin, Mr. and Mrs. S. Papernick, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Papernick, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Papernick, Mrs. S. Breslin, Mr. and Mrs. O. Pattenick, Mr. and Mrs. M. Cohen, of Toronto; and Mr. and Mrs. M. Breslin, of Orono.

Mrs. A. Swartz, of Oshawa, entertained at a tea and bridge in her home in aid of Hadassah Chapter, which netted $14.

Sherbrooke, Que.

Jules Harris, of Montreal, spent a week in Sherbrooke visiting his sister, Mrs. Louis Bernstein, Bowen Avenue.

Mrs. S. P. Smith and Mrs. Saul Niloff were joint hostesses at a tea and bridge given at the Community Centre. Cards were played at seven tables. Prizes were won by Mesdames Joseph Rosenbloom, Lebeau, S. Echenberg, F. Pollack and J. Echerberg. The raffle was won by Mrs. A. Mittleman.

Mrs. Ben Segal, of Cornwall, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bernstein, Bowen Avenue.

Joseph Rosenbloom was in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schwartz, Montcalm Street, spent a few days in Montreal.

David Randolph, of Montreal, was here for a few days.

M. B. Echenberg was in Montreal visiting his daughter, Mrs. S. Ross Vineberg, Mountain Street.

Mesdames Jack Echenberg and Louis Echenberg will be joint hostesses at a tea and bridge next Sunday evening at the Community Centre.

Mrs. David Leibling, of Quebec, is visiting her children, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Smith, Court Street.

Sam Litner, of Montreal, spent a few days here.

H. Edgar, of Montreal, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Edgar, Beckett Road.

Thomas Vineberg, of Montreal, spent a few days with his daughter, Mrs. A. D. Smith, Court Street.

Bnai Brith held their installation of officers Wednesday evening last at their lodge rooms on Wellington Street. N. Max Bernfeld and Lionel Covienaky, of Montreal, were installing officers; Max Bernfeld spoke on Bnai Brith.

S. Mozel, of Montreal, spent the week-end in Sherbrooke.

Mrs. A. I. Rubinovich, of Montreal, is spending a few weeks in Sherbrooke, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Smith, Strathcona Square.

Henry Echenberg, of Montreal, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Echenberg, Belvidere Street.

Meyer Block, of Montreal, spent a few days here.

Louis Deitcher, of Montreal, spent a few days here.

Mrs. S. Smith entertained informally at a bridge Wednesday evening last in compliment to Miss Florence Dennenberg, of Montreal.

Myron Segal, of Cornwall, spent the week-end with his aunt, Mrs. Louis Bernstein, Bowen Avenue.

Samuel Echenberg left on an extended trip to Toronto and other points west.

OTTAWA

The regular weekly lecture in the series being given by Dr. George Leikin, rabbi of King Edward Avenue Synagogue, in the Talmud Torah Hall, was postponed last week owing to the absence of Dr. Leikin in Cleveland to take part in the dedication of a new synagogue.

Miss Esther Kushner left for Cleveland after a short visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. Simmins.

Mrs. Frank Wexler honoured Mr. and Mrs. Garry Cathcart, of Columbus, Ohio, last Wednesday evening. Allan Carr sang, accompanied by Miss Gladys Cook.

Dave Futeral will spend a few weeks in Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. I. L. Cohen left last week-end to visit for a short time in New York.

Mrs. J. Rosenstein, of Montreal, visited here with her sister, Mrs. W. Shenkman.

Miss Bessie Enushevsky, of Toronto, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. Sachs, and Mr. Sachs.

Mrs. A. Sherman was hostess during last week-end at a tea in aid of the Ladies' Auxiliary to James Street Synagogue, when about forty ladies were present. Mrs. Grossman was in charge of the money donations and the hostess was assisted by Mesdames Millar, A. Adlesteln, M. Feldburg and Misses A. Lecovin and Tillie Finkelstein. Violin selections were given by Misses Ann Sherman and Dora Sherman and piano selections by Miss S. Millar. The door prize was won by Mrs. E. Eakin.

A tea under the auspices of the Bertha Slonemsky Chapter of Junior Hadassah was given Sunday afternoon, January 15, by Misses Lena Baker and Sarah Tradburks at the home of Miss Baker. The guests were received by Mrs. L. Baker and Mrs. M. Tradburks, assisted by the two hostesses. The tea table was arranged with narcissi and tall tapers in delicate tones and was presided over by Mrs. Alex Betcherman. Assistants were Mesdames I. Sigler, R. Fine, M. Slover, J. Baker, and Misses Doris Cohen, Faye Baker, Gertrude Freedman, Eleanor Rivers, Gertrude Tradburks, Bessie Rubin and Minnie Apple. Miss Helen Auger sang, accompanied on the piano by Miss Doris Cohen. Rita Marcus recited. The door prize was won by Miss Anne Slonemsky. Money donations were received by Miss Ethel Volinski. Prior to the tea a short meeting was held.

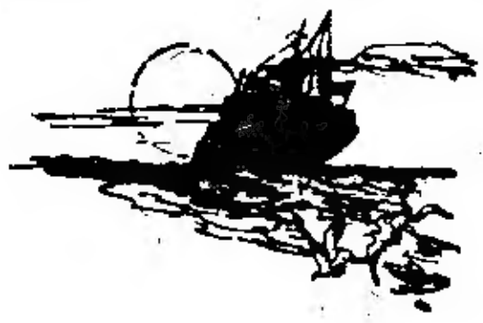
Miss Faye Zivian gave a bridge party last Wednesday evening in honour of Miss Bessie Enushevsky, of Toronto.

Sunday evening, January 15, Miss Annie Ostrovsky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ostrovsky, and William Borenstein, were married. Rev. Rabbi Dubritsky officiated.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of Bertha S. Lepofsky who passed away January 18, 1927.
—Family.

Under the auspices of Queen Esther Chapter of Hadassah, a concert was presented last Sunday evening in the Talmud Torah Hall. Dr. George Leikin spoke, and the musical programme included piano solos by Miss



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Meriam Pearl, and songs by Mrs. Baylin and Mr. N. Greenberg. Accompanists were Mrs. Polisky and Miss Mosion.

Misses Sarah and Anne Kronick were hostesses at a tea Sunday afternoon, January 21, in aid of Bertha Slonemsky Chapter of Hadassah. The guests were received by the hostesses and their mother, Mrs. S. Kronick. The tea table, adorned with yellow daffodils and tapers, was presided over by Mrs. Samuel Kronick, of Oxford Mills, Ont., and Mrs. J. Kronick, and the assistants were Misses Molly Tuckman, Sarah Dworkin, Fanny Hanser, Bessie Rubin, Gertie Chertkoff, Mary Levitan, Anne Apple, Bessie Herscovitz and Tillie Kronick. The door prize was won by Miss Reva Baker, and Miss Ethel Wolinsky received money donations. Miss Molly Tuckman played the piano. A business meeting was presided over by Miss Freda Carlofsky.

The installation of officers of Ottawa Lodge No. 885 and the Women's Auxiliary Lodge No. 62, Bnai Brith, took place last Saturday evening, January 21, in Talmud Torah Hall. Ceremonies were conducted by Max Bernfeld, K.C., past-president of Mount Royal, I.O.B.B., of Montreal, who installed the officers for Ottawa Lodge No. 885, and Benjamin Goldfield, past deputy of the Canadian Conference, and past-president of Ottawa Lodge No. 885, I.O.B.B., who performed the duties of installation of officers for Women's Auxiliary Lodge No. 62. The chair was occupied by President I. L. Cohen, who introduced Mr. Bernfeld. Addresses were given by Bernfeld, Goldfield, Kalman Smith. The vote of thanks to the installing officer was moved by Mrs. H. Freedman, monitress. The social evening was under the convenership of Mrs. Harry Rosenes, assisted by Mrs. Edelson and Mrs. Sholhet. The table was centred with a large silver basket of daffodils and rose-coloured tulips and tall silver candlesticks with rose-coloured tapers and asparagus fern. It was presided over by Mrs. Wolf Shenkman and Mrs. B. Goldfield, and the ices were cut by Mrs. H. Freedman, assisted by Mesdames M. Betcherman, H. Goldenberg, S. Cooper, B. Edelson, M. Stein and Miss Lillian Pollack. Officers installed: Ottawa Lodge No. 885—President, Kalman Smith; vice-president, M. H. Levey; monitor, I. L. Cohen; assistant monitor, M. Zagerman; treasurer, A. Shaffer; financial secretary, M. B. Margosches; warden, A. Borts; guide, B. Weiss; trustees, B. Edelson, A. H. Lieff and H. H. Sugarman. Officers installed for Women's Auxiliary Lodge: Mesdames A. Slone, Harry Freedman, B. Goldfield; recording secretary, Mrs. H. Goldenberg; corresponding secretary, Mrs. M. Betcherman; sentinel, Mrs. S. Cooper; guardian, Mrs. A. H. Coplan; guide, Mrs. M. Stein; trustees, Mesdames Harry Rovenes, D. Epstein and H. Sholhet. Dancing.

HAMILTON

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Bessie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Newman, 375 Ottawa Street, to Lou L. Tannenbaum, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Tannenbaum, Montreal, which takes place in the I.O.O.F. hall, Sunday, February 5.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Silverman, Blake Street, were at home Monday evening last, their 22nd wedding anniversary.

In compliment to her sisters, Mrs. William Stone and Miss Jessie Levine, Mrs. H. Cohen, Rutherford Avenue, entertained at ten tables of bridge and mah-jongg Monday evening last. Prizes went to Mesdames L. Lightstone, A. Frank, J. Bloom, I. Kahn, I. Segel, S. E. Rose, A. Wiseman, Misses Harvey and Morris. From out of town were Mrs. I. Smith, Montreal; Mrs. William Stone, Buffalo; Mesdames L. Praeger and M. Goodman, Toronto.

Mrs. B. Epstein entertained Tuesday last afternoon and evening at bridge

Mrs. Frank Palter, Toronto, visited for a few days with her parents.

Mrs. A. Cohen (nee Rae Lewis), of Detroit, is a visitor here.

Mrs. H. Brody, Toronto, visited for a week with her daughter, Mrs. C. Moses.

Misses Treister and Frances Tick were hostesses Monday afternoon at tea as a compliment to Misses Jessie Levine and Bessie Newman. Miss Hilda Goldblatt was at the tea table assisted by Mesdames M. B. Goldblatt, M. Goldblatt, M. Goldstone and B. Newman.

Mrs. L. Mack gave a mah-jongg party Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Bloom was mah-jongg hostess Wednesday. Prizes were won by Mesdames J. Holzman and I. Blumenthal.

Mrs. L. Bercowitz and her daughter, Mrs. A. A. Kamins, were joint hostesses Wednesday evening at a bridge and mah-jongg party in compliment to Miss Jessie Levine. Prizes were won by Mesdames S. Needle, S. Pollock, Rose Levy, R. Levy, I. Levine, I. Segel, J. Bloom, M. Geller, L. Minden, and Rose Halpern. Mrs. A. Cohen, of Detroit, and J. Brody were out-of-town guests.

Naomi Chapter of Hadassah entertained for Miss Jessie Levine Tuesday evening at dinner. Toasts were given by Misses Rose Halpern and Sybil Epstein; bridge and mah-jongg followed.

Mesdames S. Needle and S. Rabkin were joint hostesses Thursday evening in compliment to Miss Jessie Levine. Bridge and mah-jongg were played at ten tables. Prizes were won by Mesdames A. Goldberg, M. Clavir, L. Bercowitz, S. J. Skudwick, C. Moses, M. Levy, L. Stone, J. Holzman, S. E. Rose, and Miss Jessie Levine. From Toronto were Mesdames H. I. and M. Clavir.

Miss Jessie Levine spent several days in Toronto last week, where she was entertained by: Mrs. C. Wagman at a tea Saturday; Mrs. T. L. Granovsky, tea, Sunday; Mrs. H. A. Farber, luncheon, Thursday; Mrs. C. Rotenberg, bridge, Thursday evening.

Mr. Davis and Miss Lucille Davis, of New York, are here for the Goldblatt-Levine wedding.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Caplan, Cannon Street East, at Mountain Hospital, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Kay Messer, a daughter, Martha Ruth, at Casa Maria.

Naomi Chapter of Hadassah musicale and dance Sunday evening in Beth Jacob vestry rooms.

Miss Mary Levy gave a tea Thursday afternoon in honour of Mrs. Irving Smith.

Leo Barnett is taking a holiday in Muskoka.

Mrs. B. Epstein returned to Montreal with Mr. and Mrs. Irving Smith for a visit with them.

Miss Esther Barnett was hostess Sunday evening at three tables of bridge and mah-jongg in honour of Mrs. Irving Smith.

An open "goodwill meeting" under I.O.B.B. auspices will be held Tuesday evening, January 31, in the Royal Connaught Hotel, with Col. Chas. McCullough, founder of the Canadian Club movement, as chairman. Rabbi Samuel H. Goldenson, of Pittsburg, will speak on "The Basis of Religious Fellowship."

Beth Jacob Social Circle heard Lionel Gelber, of Toronto, January 22, on "The Art of Being a Jew." Mr. Gelber was given a dinner by the executive. Miss Doris Cohen sang, accompanied by Miss Dorothy Cohen. Dancing. A note of thanks was accorded Mr. Gelber by Dr. S. Rosen.

Anshe Sholom Congregation, Hamilton. Dr. A. Feldman, Rabbi.

Friday, January 20, "Humaneness"; Friday, January 27, "Place of Torah in Judaism"; Sunday, January 29, Rabbi Feldman will speak at a meeting of the Progress Club on "Assimilation."

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AUXILIARY INSTALLATION

At the meeting of the Y.M.H.A. Ladies' Auxiliary Monday, January 16, at the Zionist Institute, the following members were installed: Chairlady, S. Shlanger; vice-chairlady, I. Geller; treasurer, C. Borlack; financial secretary, R. Goodman; recording secretary, R. Rosen; sergeant-at-arms G. Goldman; trustees I. Magerman, J. Stein, S. Shlossman. H. Zweig was installation master. The following officers of 1927 were presented with gifts on behalf of the Auxiliary: Bro. H. Zweig, S. Shlanger, M. Hershorn, R. Zweig, R. Goodman, S. Rosen and B. Geller. Refreshments were served members and their husbands at the close of the meeting.

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JEWISH BOYS' CLUB

The second series of debates of the Jewish Boys' Club Inter-Group contest took place Sunday, January 15, at 7.15 p.m. The affirmative side of the debate, "Resolved that it would be in the interest of the Jewish people to return to Palestine," was upheld by the "Bluebirds." Jacob Gringorten was judge. Negative, upheld by the "Stars," was represented by Abie Pearlstone and Bennie Levitt. Issy Feder and Freddy Ganz won for the affirmative.

Jimmy Davis, supported by the "Junior Acting Boys," put on a joke contest. The following boys took part: Jimmy Davis, Herbert Levitt, David Okun, Ralph Rotman, Earl Bernstein, Max Okun, Joe Davis, Albert Levitt, Max Cohen, Irwin Perkes, Syndey Tepper, Max Supman, Joe Krakower, Louis Levitt, Albert Teller, Sol Kurin, Hymie Cohen.

The "Stars" are leading in the "All-Around Group Race."

Wednesday, January 11, the regular monthly supper of the Mentors was held. Dr. W. E. Blatz, of the Department of Psychology, University of Toronto, gave a talk on "Ways of Influencing Boys." The following were elected: President, Earl Fauman; vice-president, Harry Goodman; treasurer, Frank Fine; secretary, Joe Gollom. Mentors present: Norman Laporter, J. Strenc, I. Shoom, M. Silverman, S. Cohen, A. Schwartz, M. Marks, William Garbe, L. Tarshis, G. Allen, M. Alexandroff, T. Draimin, I. Bernstein, H. Goodman, S. Simmons, M. Zweigman, H. Goldstein, M. Litner, S. Adler, M. Ezrin, M. Levinsohn, B. Tepper, F. Fine, A. Warshorsky, S. Palter, Royden Cowan, David Rose, Earl Faumar, Julius Newman, Harry Yaffe, B. Super, Sam Bochner. Sunday, January 15, the newly elected executive decided to call a special meeting of the Mentors' Club, Sunday. Next regular supper, Wednesday, February 8.

House league games were played at Harbord Collegiate Wednesday. Results: Benjamin defeated Stars. Rubinoff and Grober were the best by the winners while Halberstat held the losers' end. Ephraims won from Lions by default. P.A.C. defeated Eagles, 2-0. Bluebirds defeated Rangers. Mr. Gudofsky refereed. The Bantam basketball team played first game Monday, January 16, at Harbord Collegiate. The following are players with the team: Tanzer, Weinbaum, Starkman, Rasnick, Goldstein, Rubinoff, Tepperman, Krivy, Grober and Lockowitz.

At their last meeting, Dave Palter's group of the West End Club held a debate: "Resolved, that it is better to read books prescribed by the schools than to read current novels." Affirmative, J. Yankov and L. Rumm, won over D. Miller and A. Marcus, negative. A discussion led by Mr. Palter followed. Parliament met last Sunday and it was decided to hold a ping-pong tournament in two weeks' time. Parliament stunt nights soon.

The fourth meeting of the Club Council, Central Branch, was held Sunday, January 22, at 1 p.m. The minister's reports were discussed. Sunday, January 22, a meeting was held in the assembly room under the auspices of the Stars where the candidates for the Boys' Municipal Council presented their platforms. Speakers, Abie Grossman, S. Pasis, Art Bossin, Lew Tepperman, Lew Kolick, Alex Dyment.

Sunday, January 22, at 7 p.m., a meeting of the Mentors Club was held in the library of the Central clubhouse. Earl Fauman, president, was in the chair. He reported that the Executive advised that some plan be drawn up whereby business meetings of the Mentors' Club could be held to discuss and advise upon the running of the clubhouse. The executive was instructed to draw up a constitution for a meeting, Sunday, February 5, from 6.45 to 8.15 p.m. A committee to look into plans for a Purim entertainment for the boys was appointed with Julius Newman as chairman. General secretary, Martin Cohn, reported that plans were being made for the annual Pantages treat.

BLIND VIOLINIST TO BE PRESENTED IN TORONTO

The strains of Tschaikowsky's "Serenade" played on the violin won freedom for Abraham Haitowitsch, Russian blind violinist, who will appear in a recital in Toronto at the Casa Loma Hotal ballroom on Tuesday evening, January 31. The melody reached the ears of the United States Commissioner of Immigration, Edward White, through the open windows of the detention sheds at Angel Island in the harbour of San Francisco. Haitowitsch was being held as an alien "likely to become a public charge." For Commissioner White Haitowitsch played again the Russian song of love and convinced Commissioner White that he could more than support himself. He ordered the board of inquiry to convene, and within an hour Haitowitsch had been granted permission to enter the United States. He made his debut in New York. Toronto patrons and patronesses for the concert include Mrs. Albert E. Gooderham, Mrs. R. Ross Bongard, Justice and Mrs. William R. Riddell, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rotenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Austin, Mrs. Percy Hermant, Mrs. Victor Cawthra, Mrs. Edward R. Wood, Mrs. Charles Draimin and Rabbi Ferdinand M. Isserman.

LITERARY GROUP

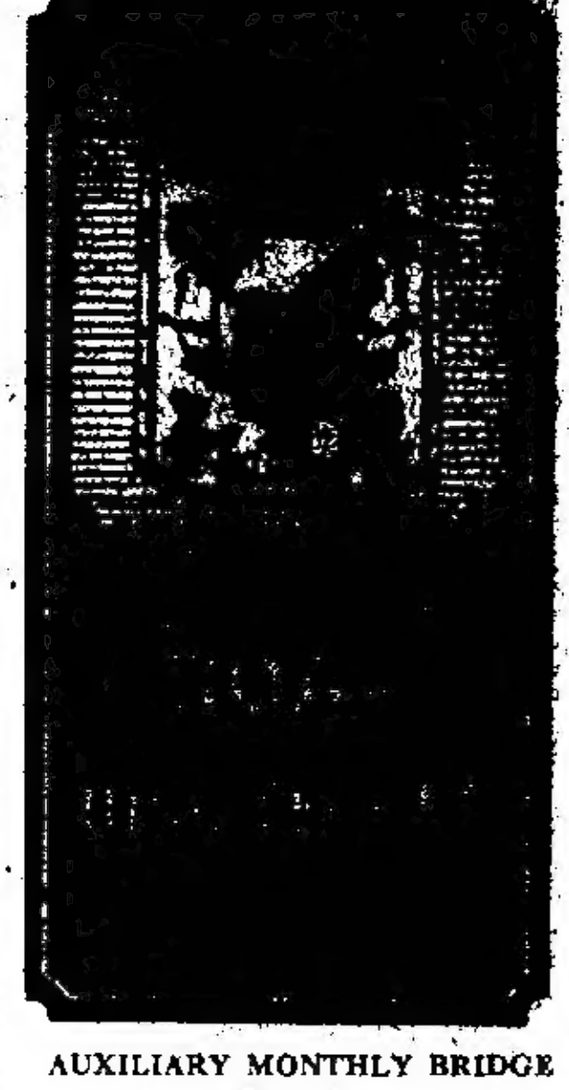
The next meeting of the literary group of the Junior Council takes place Thursday, February 2, at the home of Miss Frances Geldzaeler, 90 Walmer Road. Henry Falk will read.

LEAP YEAR DANCE

A Leap Year dance was held by the Junior Council of Jewish Women Thursday evening, January 19, at Holy Blossom vestry rooms, Bond Street. About 100 guests were received by the president, Miss Pearl Finberg, and the patronesses, Mrs. J. B. Danson and Mrs. A. I. Willinsky. Misses Miriam Simonsky and Lillian Wecksler sang several songs. Among others present were Misses Yvonne Auerbach, Shirley Simon, Albena Simonsky, Elizabeth Shear, Betty Bregman, Kathleen and Florence Samuel, Ethyle Rosenthal, Helen Lavine, Kathleen Pless, Marcia Andrews, Ethel and Helen Goldstein, Edna Frankel, Sippie Roebuck, Ida Solway, Ada Gibbel, Lillian Suroff, Ruby Goldblatt, Frances Roher, Betty James, Alice Rain, Gittle Siegel, Lottie Brenner, Mina Sape, Isla Paulin, Leola Levy, Annie Smith, Lucille Mehr, Anne and Serry Marshack, Ruth James, Ruth Weiss, Helen Lubelsky, Olive and Betty Samuels, Minnie Richmond, Lillian Lieberman and Mrs. J. Oliver, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Salter; and Herb. Weiss, Cecil Simonsky, Joe and Manny Roebuck, Nat. Taylor, Moe Birnbaum, Lawrence Finberg, H. Sherman, Leo Frankel, Max Cooper, Abe Levine, Ben Lupenberg, Michael Lerner, Jack Greenberg, Harry Rosenstein, Bill Papernick, George Altman, Harold Mehr, Sam Smith, Sam Roher, Harry James, Joe Rain, Ben Miller, Murray Keyfetz, Harry Sniderman, Saul Lubell, Oscar James, Pincus Mehr, Max Schwartz, Louis James, Milton Meretsky, Sam Casselman, Lou Samuels, Arthur Brodey, Milton Goldstein, Harry Rotenberg, Joe Lieberman and Drs. S. Model, Sam Soskin and Murray Simon.

GIDEON L. A. C. DANCE

The first annual dance of the Gideon L. A. C. will be held February 4, at the Brunswick Talmud Torah. Tickets from L. Epstein, Trinity 7359W.



AUXILIARY MONTHLY BRIDGE

Canadian Hebrew Ladies Auxiliary held their monthly bridge Wednesday, January 11, at the Zionist Building. Eleven tables of bridge were played. Hostesses were: Meadames B. Madness, N. Adell, F. Silver, S. Shapiro, B. Madger, assisted by Mrs. P. King.

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME

Sufolla Girls Club is open for membership. Information from secretary, Miss Fanny Maynster, Trinity 8105J.

YOUNG JUDAEA

Haifa Girls of Young Judaea held a bridge at the home of Sara Goldstein, St. John's Road, Sunday, January 14. Those present were: Gert Rumm, Anne Ram, Stella Mahl, Gert Tenenbaum, Belle Lehrer, Eva Wintrob, Gert Axler, Emma Green, Sara Goldstein, Celia Soltz, Belle Zweig and Esther Simmons. Prizes were won by Belle Lehrer, Eva Wintrob and Celia Soltz.

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A debate was held under the auspices of the Council of Jewish Women at the old "Y," Sunday, January 22. Resolved: "That the development of mental ability is more beneficial to mankind than that of physical power." Affirmative, Misses Dorothy Shore, Lillian Melamed, of the Felix Girls; negative, Art Schlifer, Ruben Sufrin, of the Disraeli Boys. Capt. Fred Johnson presided. J. J. Glass, Misses Bertha Steinberg and T. Littner were judges. Negative won. There were 250 people present. Beatrix Girls held their supper-meeting Sunday, January 22. Anne Kelner, Marian Phillip, Dora Laytner, Minnie Laytner, Bluma Babbin, Sophie Reosman, Bessie Gang, Ida Hurwitz, Pearl Hyman, Anne Waters, Anne Belfer, Mary Mann and Jean Wittenberg were there. Miss Cohen entertained the Beatrix Circle at a tea Saturday afternoon at her home in honour of Miss Anne Balfour, a bride of this month. Marian Phillip, Dora Laytner, Minnie Laytner, Bluma Babbin, Sophie Reisman, Bessie Gang, Ida Hurwitz, Pearl Hyman, Anne Waters, Anne Belfer and Mary Mann were present.

The A.E.C. Girls held an entertainment at the Y, Sunday, January 22, under the direction of their leader, Miss Pearl Hyman; 200 people were present. Sossens held their first social evening Saturday, January 21. The guests were received by their leader, Miss Salkovitz. There were thirty-four present. Kademah Girls gave a social evening Thursday, January 19. Bertha Kalman, Ida Kalman, Anne Shogilev, Ida Pechenik, Sadie Stone, Reenie Hornik, Beatrice Halperin and Jessie Yourborg were there. Solidrama held a bridge Monday, January 16, Yetta Carbell, Lillian Brodsky, Pearl Glotstein, Libby Tesser, Ann Morris, Isobel Robuck and Pauline Morris playing.

EZRAS NOSHEM OFFICERS

Ezras Noshem Society officers are: S. Greenberg, R. Miller, B. Papish, A. Solatoroff, J. Bournstein, S. Fink, F. Cloth, G. Goldberg, F. Goldman, G. Fienstein, M. Miller, L. Gatzen, J. Karagosh.

ANNIVERSARY UNION

The Hebrew Maternity Aid Society celebrated its twentieth anniversary reunion in the form of a dinner at the Zionist Institute, Wednesday, January 18. H. Rotenberg was chairman. Toasts: Hebrew Maternity Aid Society, Rabbi S. Sachs, responded to by Mrs. H. Clavir, president; Original Officers and Members, Rabbi F. M. Isserman, response, Mrs. I. H. Siegel, honourary president and organizer; Federation of Jewish Philanthropies, Mrs. L. Yolles, response, I. Oelbaum, executive director of Federation. Flowers were presented to Mrs. A. Selick, past president, and Mrs. H. Clavir, acting president. Mrs. I. H. Siegel, honourary president and organizer, was presented with a cameo on behalf of the organization by Mrs. M. Geldzaeler. The head table was decorated with a birthday cake presented by one of the originals, Mrs. S. M. Hansher, and contained twenty candles. These were lit by the following originals and present-day officers: Mesdames M. Geldsaeler, M. Hansher, S. Levine, Wm. Rosenthal, M. Mehr, D. Levinne, A. Lieberman, S. Mendelsohn, L. Yolles, M. Kaplan, S. Simonski, L. Gelber, M. Johnson, S. Shapiro, L. R. Wolfe, S. Lewis, M. Narrol, M. Broastein, A. Samuel, H. Palter. Programme: song by Mrs. M. Pollock, accompanied by Miss M. Marks; violin, Mr. H. Novak, accompanied by L. Kisluk; saying of grace, Rabbi S. Sachs. Accompanist to the anthem, Mrs. S. Sachs. The following contributions were received for the Rest Home: $50 from I. Brody, in honour of his wife who was one of the organizers; $50 from H. Rotenberg; $25, a friend; $5, Mrs. Wm. Rosenthal; $3, Mrs. K. L. Shapiro of Chicago; $10, M. Kaplan.

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AUXILIARY SURPRISE

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Mrs. Schaeffer was presented with a set of silver. Mr. and Mrs. L. Sherr presented Mrs. Schaeffer with a silk scarf. Mr. A. Sherr proposed a toast to Mrs. Schaeffer and the guests. Bertha Schaeffer played the piano.

MEDICAL FRATERNITY

Alpha Sigma Chapter of Phi Delta Epsilon Medical Fraternity held its bi-monthly social-scientific meeting at the chapter house, 39 Willcocks Street, Sunday, January 22. An illustrated lecture was delivered by Dr. David Eisen on "Some Common Misconceptions as to the Nature and Clinical Behaviour of Cancer." Discussion was led by Dr. Tauheimer, of Milwaukee, Wis. Present: Dr. Mitchell Kohan, Dr. Nathan Shaul, Dr. David Perlman, Dr. S. Soskin, Dr. S. Leslie, Dr. David Eisen, Dr. Tauheimer and P. A. Ticktin, D. Sher, A. J. Reinborn, A. Fine, S. Narofsky, L. Fineman, J. Slavinsky, B. Cohen, B. Sakler, A. Cardish, N. Rosenberg, A. Gold, A. Rogon, A. Appel, J. Solursh, J. Seltzer.

PI LAMBDA PHI FRATERNITY

A party was held at the chapter house, 5 Willcocks Street, Saturday evening last, by the Pi Lambda Phi fraternity. The fraternity held a smoker at the chapter house Monday evening, January 23. Professor MacKenzie, of the University of Toronto, who recently returned from Geneva, where he attended the League of Nations conference, spoke on "Matters of International Law."

INFORMATION ON CLUBS

The Tri-W's are organizing a bureau of information for the benefit of the Jewish clubs in Toronto and vicinity, so that they can receive any information they want pertaining to club matters and other activities. A list of the Jewish clubs are wanted, with the names of the executive and the aims of the club. Secretaries communicate with M. Finestein, 196 Ontario Street.

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VALENTINE SOCIAL

Felix Girls' Club St. Valentine's Cabaret and Dance, February 16. To reserve tables 'phone Miss Dorothy Shore, Trinity 5038M, or Miss Esther Kochberg, Trinity 0764W.

NEW CLUB FORMED

A new club was formed under the name of the Elkanah Girls at the home of Molly Haimes, 208 Claremont Street, Wednesday evening, January 18. Officers elected: president, Shirley Goldblatt; secretary, Gertrude Meltz; treasurer, Edith Pace. Refreshments. Next meeting Wednesday evening, January 25, at the home of Shirley Goldblatt, 178 Palmerston Avenue.

GIRLS WANTED

Junior Daughters of Israel meet at their club rooms in the Zionist Building every Sunday between 2 and 4 p.m. Open for membership for girls between the ages of 10 to 13 years old.

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Sabbath services, Friday, from 5.30 to 6 p.m. Saturday, 10.30 a.m., the rabbi will speak on the portion of the week, Exodus 10.1-13, 16. Sunday, at 11 a.m., sermon, "What Can a Man Believe?" suggested by a book by Bruce Barton on the subject.

The first meeting of the Holy Blossom Alumni Association takes place Sunday evening, January 29. Plans for the organization will be presented and Miss Edna Frankel will be temporary chairman. Musical programme.

Additional contributors to the fund for the Hebrew Union College: Charles Wexler, Dr. L. J. Soloway, R. J. Sapera, E. Palter and Rabbi F. M. Isserman. Further contributors will be announced next week.

The library received donations from Jeanne Rubin in honour of her birthday and her grandfather's birthday; Herbert Rothschild in honour of his birthday; Miss Rotenberg's class in honour of her birthday, and Gordon Rosenthal in honour of his birthday.

Sunday, February 5, Rabbi Isserman and the Rev. E. Crossley Hunter, of the Carlton Street United Church, will exchange pulpits. Sunday, Rev. Hunter will speak at the synagogue, and on Sunday evening Rabbi Isserman will speak at the church. "The New Outlook," the official publication of the United Church of Canada, had a front page editorial commending this exchange of pulpits.

Cemetery committee is working on plans for the new cemetery.

Collegiate Club won the first inter-church hockey game Monday, January 23.

Rabbi Isserman will address the Students' Club of the Ontario Art College and also the Society of Applied Psychology this week. He is also invited to address the Y.M.C.A. in Montreal, a meeting in Windsor and several church organizations which he could not accept. February 20, he is scheduled to address the Ministerial Association of the United Church in Toronto, and January 31 the Hamilton Theosophical Society. Rabbi Isserman has organized a committee which is planning to push vigorously the campaign to abolish corporal punishment in the schools of Toronto. On Wednesday he headed a delegation to the management committee of the Board of Education to present a request for an inquiry into the methods of administering corporal punishment in the schools with a view to revising the regulations. Many public-spirited citizens have joined him.

BRITISH DOCTOR HERE

Dr. Lester Samuels, officially representing the British Empire Cancer Research Fund, an M.D., of England, member of the College of Surgeons of Edinburgh University and a gold medallist of that institution who has held a number of administrative posts in large English hospitals and is the author of "Racial Epidemiology of Cancer" and "Unusual Cases of Surgical Practice," was at the King Edward Hotel for a few days before leaving for New York to sail for Cuba and South America, returning here in about two months. He was entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. D. Dunkelman, Rowanwood Avenue, and Mrs. E. I. Kenen, Bernard Avenue.

LODGE MEETINGS

Meetings of Sunnyside Lodge take place as follows: Wednesday, February 1, parliamentary debate to discuss the advisability of making the elections annual and meetings semi-monthly; Wednesday, February 8, His Honour Judge Hawley Mott, of the Toronto Juvenile Court, will speak; Wednesday, February 15, conferring of special double degree; initiatory and second; Wednesday, February 22, "Absent Members' Night."

Goel Tzedek Synagogue, University Avenue. Rabbi Samuel Sachs.

Sermon, Friday, at 8.30, on "What Science has to say Regarding the Jewish Dietary Laws." Cantor A. Barkin will lead in song. Saturday, at 10.30, the rabbi will preach on the Biblical portion of the week. Junior Young People's League meets Sunday at 7.45 p.m.

Sisterhood meets Thursday, January 26, at 2.30 p.m., in the vestry rooms of the University Avenue Synagogue. Professor Blatz, of the Toronto University, will speak at 3.30 on "The Adolescent Child." Friday evening, January 20, following the regular evening services, a reception took place in the vestry rooms of the synagogue. Mrs. M. S. Till and Louis Smith were in charge. A home and school meeting and social evening took place Monday evening, January 23, at the home of Mrs. L. Adelberg, 328 Palmerston Boulevard, of the fifth and sixth classes of the Sunday School, Dr. Mark Zimmerman and D. I. Siegel, teachers. Those present were: Rabbi Samuel Sachs, Max Cooper, Mrs. I. H. Siegel, Mrs. H. James, Dr. M. Zimmerman, David Siegel, Mr. Shiff, Mesdames Pensler, Onrot, Schlesser, Lester, Mr. and Mrs. J. Levinsky, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Adelberg. Next social evening Monday, February 6, of classes three and four, teachers, Earl Fauman and Miss Lubetsky, at the home of Mrs. G. Fauman, Palmerston Boulevard.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S LEAGUE HISTORY

In 1921 the Young People's League of University Avenue Synagogue was organized by Rabbi Julius Siegel in conjunction with Misses Rivka Levy, Mary Levinne, Bella Sher, and H. M. Smith and J. M. Gordon, electing as its first president Joseph M. Gordon. Meetings were held in the vestry rooms of the synagogue, which were then not yet renovated, forcing the members to sit on the Sunday School benches, drawing aside the familiar green curtains to carry on the meeting.

The next president was Murray L. Keyfetz. A mock trial was held over "Frying an egg on one side only." Next president was Dr. Jack Grisé, and later Jack Pearlstein. Among the speakers who addressed the organization, were Judge Mott, Professor Irwin, Judge Margaret Patterson, Professor De Lury, Professor Chant, Mrs. Sidney Small. In 1924 the Junior League was organized under Rabbi Schwartz which merged with the older body. Officers and executive of the new organization were: president, Herb Weiss; first vice-president, Miss L. G. Siegel; second vice-president, Lou James; recording secretary, George Cooper; corresponding secretary, Miss Ruth Schwartz; treasurer, Sam Keyfetz; executive, Miss Charlotte Andrews and Herman Bennett. The following year this organization led first by Miss L. G. Siegel and laster by Lou James took the name of Young People's League. During Mr. Joe Rosenfeld's presidency he was sent to New York by the synagogue as an official delegate and there formally affiliated the League with the national organization. This year members have heard Rabbi Samuel Sacks, Alderman J. Gordon, Professor Taylor and Trustee J. J. Glass. At the last meeting, Sunday evening, January 22, this debate was held: "Resolved, that a return to Zion must be preceded by a return to Judaism." Murray L. Keyfetz was judge. Affirmative, Miss L. G. Siegel and M. Herman, won; negative, Miss L. Levi and Philip Barrs. At this meeting questionaires regarding activities enjoyed by each member were passed out.

Annual dance of the League takes place February 18. On invitation of Rabbi Sacks, Herb Weiss, a representative of the League, will occupy the pulpit on the Young People's League, Friday night service, February 18.

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ORATORICAL CONTEST SUBJECTS

Toronto Women's League of the United Synagogue executive meeting was held January 12 at the home of Rabbi and Mrs. S. Sachs, 321 Palmerston Boulevard, to plan the oratorical contest which takes place Sunday, February 5, at 8.15, at the University Avenue Synagogue Chambers. It was decided to announce the following subjects, each speaker to be allotted ten minutes:

Study of the Hebrew language as an element essential to the continuance of Jewish life in the Diaspora; Should Yiddish be perpetuated; Palestine's influence on Jewish life in the Diaspora. The possibility of Sabbath observance in Canada; The function of the Young People's League in traditional Judaism. The Jewish woman as a factor in the preservation of Judaism. Judges: Miss Cecelia Krieger, lecturer at the University of Toronto; L. M. Singer, S. Rosenthal. Rabbi S. Sachs will preside.

Any young man or woman eighteen years or over, a son or daughter of a member of the United Synagogue or of an affiliated organization of the Women's League, is eligible. Applications in writing must be sent in before February 1 to Mrs. I. H. Siegel, 53 Lee Avenue, or to Mrs. M. Johnston, 24 Grace Street. The prize is to be a trip to the Young People's League Convention in New York City, February 10-13. Those who have entered their names to date are: Herb Weiss, Milton Meretsky, Lawrence Pillin, David Siegel, Freda Schlesser, Harry Gerson.

TORONTO SOCIAL

All Society Items and other local news should be communicated to the office of the Review by 5 o'clock each Tuesday afternoon. Telephone Elgin 1478-1479.

Mrs. Barney Harris, Rushton Road, has left for a trip to New York.

Mrs. Egmont L. Frankel, Douglas Drive, returned home Wednesday from Chicago.

Mrs. M. H. Epstein, Hilton Avenue, entertained at mah jongg Thursday, for her guest, Mrs. Epstein, of New York.

Mrs. M. M. Cohen, Madison Avenue, is home from Philadelphia.

Mrs. N. Rosenberg, Austin Terrace, was hostess at the tea hour Saturday, honouring Mrs. Epstein, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cohen, Lowther Avenue, entertained at dinner at the Primrose Club Wednesday, in honour of their visitor, Rabbi Barnett R. Brickner, of Cleveland, later taking their guests on to the Palestine Masonic Lodge dance.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Sapera, Cornish Road, gave a dance at the Primrose Club Tuesday, in honour of their fifteenth wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lipsky, of Rochester, N.Y., were out-of-town guests.

Saul Dobrofsky, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Hutner, Brunswick Avenue.

Mrs. J. Kasler, Garfield Avenue, Moore Park, has left for a few weeks' stay in Montreal, where she will be the guest of Mrs. Meyer Dobrofsky.

Mrs. Rose Hartman, of Hamilton, Ont., is the guest of Mrs. William Gittes, Spadina Road.

Miss Emma Kauffman, of Chicago, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Winters, Rushton Road, for a week.

A. J. Freiman, of Ottawa, spent Friday in Toronto.

S. Shapiro, Lyndhurst Avenue, spent a few days in New York City.

Mrs. J. W. Broudy, Lauder Avenue, gave a luncheon at the Primrose Club Thursday, in honour of Miss Anne Broudy, a bride-elect.

Mrs. Lester Levy, Cheritan Avenue, entertained at a few tables of mah jongg Monday evening.

Mrs. Morton Sodomsky, St. Clair Avenue East, gave the second of a series of mah jongg Thursday evening last.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Rafelman, Austin Terrace, were in Chicago for a few days to attend the marriage of their niece, Miss Shirley Weiss, to Peter Salter, of Toronto, before leaving to spend the remainder of the winter in the South.

Mr. Raskin, of New York, was in town for a few days last week.

L. Berk, Brunswick Avenue, has left for New York and Boston to attend a convention.

Among the Torontonians who attended the Goldblatt-Lavine wedding in Hamilton Tuesday were: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Farber, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wagman, Miss Goldie Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rotenberg, Mr. and Mrs. S. Godfrey, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Markowitz and Sidney Roth.

Mrs. S. Rotenberg, Markham Street, and Mrs. H. Rotenberg, Hilton Avenue, were hostesses at a luncheon, bridge and mah jongg at Casa Loma Thursday last, complimenting their sister, Mrs. S. Pollock, of Hamilton, a recent bride. Fifty guests were present, among them being: Mrs. B. Matthews, of Windsor; Mrs. D. Kauffman, of Hamilton; and Miss Frances Rotenberg, of Rochester, N.Y. The guest of honour and the out-of-town guests were presented with gifts.

Miss Lillian Lieberman, Bathurst Street, entertained at bridge Monday evening last, honouring Miss Mollie Weissman, a bride-elect of this month. Prizes were won by Misses Sophie Weissman, Bertha Sky and consolation, Mrs. S. Lieberman. The guest of honour and the out-of-town guest, Miss Alice Sodomsky, of Winnipeg, were presented with gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lipsky, of Rochester, N.Y., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Sapera, Cornish Road.

Mrs. H. Brody, Walmer Road, is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. C. Moses, of Hamilton.

Mrs. B. Logan, Montrose Avenue, has returned after spending three weeks in Detroit, Mount Clemens and Toledo, Ohio.

Mrs. R. J. Sapera, Lauder Avenue, entertained Mrs. A. Kornbloom and Mrs. Nathan Goodman, of Buffalo, N.Y., at luncheon and theatre Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. L. Yolles, Lyndhurst Avenue, was hostess Saturday evening last.

Mrs. A. Press and daughter, Florence, Lauder Avenue, have returned home from New York.

A surprise party was held in honour of Anne Minovitch on her birthday. Among those present were: Misses Betty and Sadie Molson, Irene Rovan, C. Sager, Rose Heit, D. Babbitch, A. Cornfield, M. Gralick, R. Hornick; and E. Lockwood, O. Mahl, M. Charney, T. Herman, H. Molson, Jerry Heit, A. Feldman, J. Winnick, H. Finkle. Misses Betty Molson and Irene Rovan acted as joint hostesses.

Miss Olive Samuels, Palmerston Boulevard, who was in Montreal for the past two weeks, has returned home.

Entertaining in honour of Miss Rhea Aarons, whose marriage to Louis Mintzer took place Sunday, January 1, were: Miss Lillian Levy, Crawford Street, bridge and mah jongg; Mrs. I. Corb, Claremont Street, bridge and kitchen shower; Misses Gertrude Jackson, Betty Herman and Frances Pearlman, bridge at a tea room; Misses Sara Lipsett, Esther Levy, Shirley Taub and Martha Blidnes, theatre and tea; Miss Claire Rosenthal, Palmerston Boulevard, bridge; Miss Sylvia Cornfield, Beatrice Street, bridge; Miss Anna Frankel, Major Street, bridge; Mrs. L. B. Ellis, Palmerston Boulevard, and Miss Ella Schiff, Murray Street, bridge at Casa Loma; Miss Frances Cohen, Hayden Park Road, bridge; Montefiore Girls' Club, supper dance at Casa Loma; Miss Leah Lerner, theatre; Mrs. M. Aarons, Manning Avenue, bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Tenenbaum, Brunswick Avenue, gave a family dinner after kiddush at McCaul Street Synagogue Saturday, January 14, in honour of the marriage of Miss Lillian Roth to Samuel Clayman. Covers were laid for forty guests.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Rotstein entertained Sunday evening, January 8, at their home, 105 Manning Avenue, for their daughter, Helen, a bride-elect of this month. A. Scher was toastmaster. Speakers were M. Handleman, M. Kirshenbaum, Mrs. Shlanger, Mr. Zimmerman, G. Garfinkel, L. Zucker. Miss Black, graduate of the Conservatory of Berlin, played the piano. Out-of-town guests were Mrs. P. Goldsmith and daughter, Jeanette, of Baltimore.

Mrs. A. M. Schiffer, Admiral Road, entertained at bridge and mah jongg Saturday evening last.

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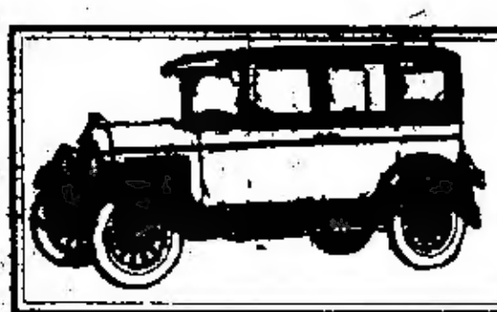

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Mrs. I. Geller, Delaware Avenue, entertained at dinner on Sunday. Among the guests were: Mrs. G. Offstein, Miss Dena Offstein, Edward and Harry Offstein and Mort. Morris, all of St. Catharines, Ont.

Mrs. Abe Kornbloom and Mrs. Nathan Goodman, of Buffalo, N.Y., were guests of Mrs. L. Lovitz, Ridley Gardens, for a few days.

Mrs. Robert M. Levinson, of Newark, N.J., who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Samuels, Palmerston Boulevard, has returned home.

Mrs. H. Sapowitch (née Shirley Goldstein), of Buffalo, N.Y., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Goldstein, Keele Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bender (née Betty Smith) have returned from their honeymoon and are at the Waverley Hotel.

Miss Betty Deverett, Montrose Avenue, has returned home after spending three weeks in Detroit, Mount Clemens and Toledo, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Tenenbaum, Brunswick Avenue, have left to stay for two weeks in New York and Philadelphia.

Mrs. S. H. Sapera, Humewood Court Apartments, entertained at mah jongg Saturday evening in honour of Mrs. A. Kornbloom and Mrs. Nathan Goodman, of Buffalo, N.Y.

Miss Florence Goldstein, Keele Street, who has been spending the past month in New York and Philadelphia, is expected home on Friday.

Mrs. Charles Rose, Christie Street, spent a week in Kingston with her mother.

David Levinne, Braemore Gardens, spent a few days in Windsor and Detroit.

A farewell party was held at the home of Mrs. Harry Fox, Bloor Street West, in honour of her brother, Samuel Lipsitt, who is leaving for Detroit. He was presented with a Gladstone bag.

Al Goldman, of Rochester, N.Y., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. Smith, Indian Road, for a few days.

Mrs. H. Breslin, Beatrice Street, gave a farewell dinner honouring her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jessie Breslin, who left Thursday for Montreal.

Mrs. Irwin Goodfellow, of New York, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Heller, Quebec Avenue.

Mrs. Samuel Goodman, Wellswood Apartments, entertained at mah jongg Tuesday.

Mrs. S. Shapiro, Grace Street, entertained at three tables of bridge in honour of her niece, Miss Pearl Marcus, who is leaving for New York. Prize-winners were Mesdames F. Silver, J. Cohen and L. Marcus. Covers were laid for fifteen.

Miss Hilda Kunen, of Niagara Falls, N.Y., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. Berenson, Bellwoods Avenue, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Soltz (née Gertrude Stone), have returned from their honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Greenstein, Maughan Crescent, were hosts at dinner Sunday evening in honour of their tenth wedding anniversary. The table was centred with a vase of chrysanthemums. Mr. and Mrs. M. Stopeck, Mr. and Mrs. S. Herlick, Mr. and Mrs. F. Singer, Mr. and Mrs. S. Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosenfield, Mr. and Mrs. S. Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilner were there.

Among those who complimented Miss Mollie Weissman, whose marriage to Dr. Hyman Winkler, takes place Sunday were: Mrs. N. Shaul, Dundas Street West, presentation tea; Miss Edith Fogel, Oakwood Avenue, bridge; Miss Esther Levy, Euclid Avenue, bridge; Miss Lillian Goodfellow, Beaconsfield Avenue, luncehon at the Georgian Room, Misses Doris and Dolly Stone, Beatrice Street, theatre party and tea at the Dutch Inn; Misses Arnice and Alice Sodomsky, St. Clair Avenue East, presentation tea at Casa Loma; Mrs. Henry Dworkin, Northcliffe Boulevard, bridge; Miss Ettie Richmond, Montrose Avenue, bridge at the Dutch Inn; Mrs. H. Weisfeld, Beatrice Street, bridge; Miss Sophie Weissman, Beatrice Street, bridge; Miss Lillian Lieberman, Bathurst Street, bridge; Mrs. I. Weissman, Shaw Street, bridge; Mrs. F. Schipper, Rusholme Park Crescent, luncheon at the Georgian Room and theatre; Misses Bella Pasternak, and Esther Roher, presentation tea at the King Edward Hotel; Miss Faye Wolfson, Bellwoods Avenue, bridge; Mrs. W. N. Winkler, Palmerston Boulevard, theatre party.

Miss Gertrude Dunkelman, Grace Street, has left for a trip to New York and Philadelphia.

L. Hertzman, Nina Avenue, has returned home from a trip to New York.

J. Brookler has left to live in Winnipeg, Man.

Mrs. R. Silverman, of Montreal, is visiting Mrs. L. D. Levine, 66 Cheritan Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Salter, Commodore Apartments, Maitland Street, were in Chicago for a few days to attend the Salter-Weiss wedding.

Miss Lillian Landsman, Dundas Street West, and Mrs. Harry Lepofsky, of Streetsville, were hostesses at a crystal shower and bridge at a tea room Wednesday last, complimenting Miss Anne Broudy, a February bride-elect. Prize-winners were Miss Ethel Solway, Mrs. J. Finmark and Mrs. F. Rittersborn.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Cash, Dovercourt Road, gave a dinner Sunday evening last in honour of Mr. and Mrs. M. Garber, who have just returned from their honeymoon. Mrs. M. Otto, Archie and Berhard Otto and Miss Pauline Cohen were there.

Among those who entertained during the past week for Miss Gertrude Levy, a bride-elect, were Mrs. Charles Levy, Edgewood Avenue, presentation bridge; Miss Rheba Finkle, Sullivan Street, presentation and three tables of bridge, prize-winners: Misses Faye Brandis and Bertha Manheim; Misses Faye Brandis, Rose Rosenstein and Bertha Manheim, crystal shower at the Dutch Inn and nine tables of bridge.

Miss Fanny Enushevsky, of Guelph, is in Toronto attending the Ontario College of Art.

A sweet sixteen party was held in honour of Miss Betty Siegel, at her home, 103 Nassau Street, Saturday evening, January 14. The guests were: Misses Gertie Klein, Goldie Oslinger, Anne Katz, Adele Cohen, Sara Rumac, Sophie Shapiro, Essie Heit, Bessie Lang,

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Mrs. Charles Levey, 14 Edgewood Avenue, entertained Thursday evening last at a miscellaneous shower and bridge in honour of her sister-in-law, Miss Gertrude Levy, whose marriage takes place shortly to Al Goldstein. Four tables of bridge were played. Prize-winners: Mrs. H. Paulin, B. Forer, Mrs. E. Levitt and Mrs. J. Friedman. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. Paulin, Mr. and Mrs. E. Levitt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Poslun, Mr. and Mrs. J. Friedman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Horne, Mr. and Mrs. B. Forer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Greenspan, Miss G. Levy, Miss R. Levy, Al Goldstein, M. Levey.

BNAI BRITH BANQUET GUESTS

The annual installation and banquet of Toronto Lodge, Bnai Brith, was held at the King Edward Hotel. Officers for the new year were installed by Alderman Nathan Phillips. Among those present were: Henry M. Finkle, Joseph Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. S. Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Levy, Mr. and Mrs. A. Levy, Mr. and Mrs. I. Markus, Mr. and Mrs. J. Singer, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Singer, Mr. and Mrs. N. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. H. Moscoe, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Haber, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. C. Mandel, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wagman, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wagman, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Friedland, Mr. and Mrs. E. Palter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Palter, Dr. and Mrs. N. Pivnick, Jack Pearlstein, Miss Lillian Rasminsky, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Forer, Mr. and Mrs. H. Glucksberg, Mr. and Mrs. I. Epstein, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rogal, Mr. and Mrs. N. Kahane, Mr. and Mrs. W. Agranove, W. Ginsberg, Miss B. Silvert and H. Silvert, of Hamilton; Miss B. Goldman, Mr. and Mrs. John Penturn, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rosenfald, Mr. and Mrs. L. Stossel, J. Nickel, of Fort William; H. Zatulove, of St. Catharines; Miss L. Wineburg, Miss I. Pancer, Norman Grad, Mr. and Mrs. A. Greben, Mr. and Mrs. G. Lister, Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. D. Kertzer, M. Rosen, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Abiscott, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Poslum, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Levy, Mr. and Mrs. Jack F. Friedman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Horn, Mr. and Mrs. M. Fallick, Mr. and Mrs. S. Gold, Mr. and Mrs. L. Tanz, Al Yacny, Miss Goldie Bornstein, Miss Rose Slomen, B. Faibish, Pauline Engel, of Oshawa; B. A. Freeman, Esther Horowitz, Harold Cherry, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. William Skolnik, Miss Lillian Stein, Sam Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. S. Acker, Miss Clara Korn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weinstein, Mr. and Mrs. MacDonn, Mr. and Mrs. J. Marin, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. M. Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. A. Pritzker, Mr. and Mrs. Baker, Rose Baker, Morris Baker, Mr. and Mrs. S. Bernstein, Mr. and Mrs. L. Sugar, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Posluns, Miss Auva Sugar, Miss Pearl Sugar, Abe Posluns, Misses Z. Singer, Freda Bochner, M. Stone, L. Sinoff; Al Lipson, Dr. S. J. Hellen, J. Rumac, G. Altman, Mr. and Mrs. L. Koffler, Mrs. S. Cowan, of Montreal; Miss A. Reinboon, A. Goody, Miss R. Ellias, Ben Cross, Miss Gertie Green, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ginsberg, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ginsberg, Mr. and Mrs. D. Chaplan, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thuna, Mr. and Mrs. M. Wintrob, Wm. Spiegel, Blanche Cohen, Dr. and Mrs. M. B. Okun, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Okun, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shankman, Saul Kay, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kaplan, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Oelbaum, Mr. and Mrs. H. Pousner, Mr. and Mrs. M. Blumenthal, Mr. and

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BAR-MITZVAHS

The bar-mitzvah of David Goldstein, of the Jewish Children's Home, takes place Saturday, February 4, at Holy Blossom Synagogue. Reception at the Home, 336 Annette Street, Sunday afternoon, February 5.

The bar-mitzvah of Norton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Penturn, took place at Holy Blossom Synagogue, Saturday, January 7. On Tuesday, January 17, Mr. and Mrs. J. Penturn gave a reception in honour of their son at a tea room. After dancing to an orchestra, at eleven o'clock a sit-down supper was served to eighty guests in the dining room. Rabbi F. M. Isserman, toast master, called upon the bar-mitzvah, B. Geldzaeler and I. Kalich, to speak. Nathan Phillips proposed a toast to the parents and grandparents of the bar-mitzvah. Mrs. Shaberman, president of the Western Chapter of Hadassah, presented Norton with five trees on behalf of the chapter. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. I. Acker, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. D. Drohan, Dr. and Mrs. M. Snider, Mr. and Mrs. B. Geldzaeler, Dr. and Mrs. D. I. Seigel, Mr. and Mrs. H. Roher, Miss Esther Roher, Mr. and Mrs. D. Doidge, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rosenfield, Dr. and Mrs. J. Pollack, Mr. and Mrs. D. Klein, Maurice D. Klein, Misses Clara and Goldie Korn, Mrs. I. H. Siegel, David Siegel, Misses Rohama and Gittel Siegel, Mr. and Mrs. M. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. N. Phillips, Mrs. A. Phillips, of Cornwall, Ont.; Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Solway, Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Papernick, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Joel, Dr. and Mrs. H. Turofsky, Mr. and Mrs. H. Shaberman, Dr. and Mrs. D. Perlman, Dr. and Mrs. S. Perlman, Mr. and Mrs. L. Stone, H. M. Finkle, Mr. and Mrs. Hirschman, Mr. and Mrs. I. Seifer, Nathan Waldo, Meyer Rotstein and J. J. Glass.

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Goldfein (née Jane Segal), 5565 W. Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Ill., a daughter, at St. Luke's Hospital, January 6.

January 19 at Toronto General Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy H. Frankel, 73 Hudson Drive, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Goodfellow, of Winthrop, Mass. (née Sophie Goodfellow, of Toronto), a son, Saturday, January 21.

To Mr. and Mrs. Morris Frankel, College Street, at Western Hospital, January 13, a daughter, Bernice, 8 lbs., 8 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Dick, 118 Jamieson Avenue, at Western Hospital, January 18, twins, a son and daughter.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Wilson, Beatrice Street, announce the engagement of their sister, Shirley, eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson, to Edward Yalowitz, of Gary, Indiana. Marriage to take place early in March.

Aubrey J. Loveguard announces the engagement of his sister, Queenie, to Hersbell H. Lewis, of Montreal. Marriage to take place at Shaarr Hashomayim Synagogue, Montreal, March 22.

The engagement is announced of Aubrey J. Loveguard, of Hamilton, Ont., to Miss Tilly Marks, of London, England.

APPROACHING MARRIAGES

Mr. and Mrs. L. Weissman, 47 Beatrice Street, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Molly, to Dr. Hyman Winkler, Sunday, January 29. Ceremony at 5.30 o'clock at the Bay Street Synagogue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Samuels, 432 Crawford Street, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Sarah, to Manny Pycer, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Pycer, 9 Bellwoods Avenue, Tuesday, February 21.

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All notices under this head twenty-five cents per count line.

The family of the late Mrs. Jane Kosloff thank the Canadian Hebrew Benevolent Society, Pride of Israel Society and their many friends for their many kindnesses in their recent bereavement.

Mrs. Rachel Yanolt Ben Zwi

Who spoke last week in Montreal, is to be the guest of the Toronto Women's Pioneer Club January 27, 28 and 29. A banquet is to be held in her honour on Saturday evening, January 28, in the Zionist Institute. She will lecture on Sunday evening on "The Modern Woman in Palestine" in the Zionist Institute.

INITIATION BANQUET

Alpha Alpha Chapter of Alpha Epsilon Phi sorority held their initiation followed by a banquet at the King Edward Hotel, Monday, January 23. The members initiated were Misses Miriam Garfinkle, Frances King, Ruth Lavine, Merle Rosenberg and Ruth Weiss. Others present were Mrs. Charles Drainin, Mrs. Percy Herrant, patronesses, and Misses Fanny Schwartz, Gertrude Rotenberg, Freda Schwartz, Florence Hutner, Lyla Rotenberg, Ruth Schwartz, Charlotte Andrews, Gertrude Houzer, Helen Lavine, Helen Pullan, Lillian Garfinkle, Beatrice Centner, Naomi Greenstein and Hilda Rotenberg.

BOYS ELECTED

The elections in Ward 4 Boys' Municipal Council resulted as follows: Aldermen, Maxwell King, Alex Dymen; and Ben Levitt. In Ward 5, Mac Brown headed the poles with 200 votes. He is the first Jewish boy to be elected alderman in Ward 5.

BANQUET FOR BAZAAR WORKERS

A banquet for the workers of the recent bazaar in aid of the Jewish Old Folks' Home was held January 8. Officers installed by J. Messmiker: president, B. Weiss, who has held the office for the past seven years; vice-presidents, [illegible]. C. Garfinkle, [illegible]; recording secretary, Mrs. M. Freedhoff; secretary, Mrs. C. Bernstein; trustees, Mrs. B. Weiss and Mrs. M. Stone; superintendent, D. Brown. E. Pullan and S. Harris spoke. B. Weiss mentioned the work of the honorary president, Jacob Becker, now in Miami, Florida.

HADASSAH

Central Chapter of Hadassah met at the Zionist Institute, Monday afternoon, January 23, at a social and bridge of which Mesdames D. Kertzer, J. Zenner and M. Hartzman were conveners. Mesdames L. Fink and L. Gluskin assisted. Mrs. I. Ginsberg sang, accompanied by her husband at the piano. Mrs. H. Lazaresco took reservations for the chapter's Chamisho Osor Banquet to be held at the Zionist Institute, Monday evening, February 6. Conveners, Mesdames H. Lazaresco, Tr. 3137M; M. Clavir, Tr. 9584. Members will return raffles on the bicycle and outstanding money and tickets for the theatre night. Next meeting at the Zionist Institute, Monday evening, February 6, at a banquet.

Daughters of Zion Chapter met at the home of Mrs. A. Cohen, 85 Marchmount Road, Monday afternoon, January 23. Miss Hannah Buckstein was presented with a Golden Book certificate for her work for the Jewish National Fund. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. I. Cohen, 803 Manning Avenue, Monday afternoon, February 6, at a luncheon. Sale of home cooking for Purim at the Zionist Institute, Mrs. R. Greenberg, convener.

Naomi Chapter met at the home of Mrs. S. H. Adman, 60 Clifton Road, Monday afternoon, January 23. Further reports were submitted on the chapter cook book which is now being published. Sewing was distributed among the members. Mrs. A. Stock, 26 Rosedale Heights, will be hostess at a bridge and mah-jongg for members and friends, Tuesday evening, January 31.

Kadimah Chapter met at the home of Mrs. D. B. Goodman, 388 Palmerston Boulevard, Monday afternoon, January 23. Arrangements were continued for a Leap Year Dance to be held at the Zionist Institute, March 3, conveners, Mesdames D. B. Garfield, H. Mannis and P. Stein. Next meeting Monday afternoon, February 6, at the home of Mrs. C. Rotstein, 9 Austin Crescent.

Rose Chapter met at a bridge and mah-jongg at the home of Mrs. L. Gelber, 133 Lowther Avenue, Monday afternoon, January 23. Nine tables were played. Members are sewing baby outfits for the orphans in Palestine.

Scopus Chapter met at the home of Mrs. L. A. Prager, 98 Northcliffe Boulevard, Monday afternoon, January 23. Sewing was distributed. Chapter tea and at home Sunday next, January 29, at the home of Mrs. L. Rotenberg, 118 Spadina Road, from 3 to 6 p.m. Tickets from any member of the chapter.

Herzl Chapter of Junior Hadassah met at the Zionist Institute, Monday evening, January 16. The Gift Shoppe booth at the recent League of Nations bazaar, convened by this chapter, netted $222.82. Raffles are being sold for a season pass for the Loew's Theatre. Next meeting at the home of Miss Dora Ezrin, 602 Manning Avenue, Monday evening, January 30. Discussion as to the nature of the event to be held by the chapter in order to raise $300 for 1927 Keren Hayesod pledge.

Junior Hadassah Chapter held a programme meeting Sunday afternoon, January 22, at the home of Miss Goldie Shear, 188 Grace Street. Programme committee: Misses Sara Stork, Betty Hiltz, Esther Rasminsky, Anne Goodman, Lillian Robertson, Anne Papernick, Shirley Levenson, Faye Brith and Anne Stein. Orchestra will play at the chapter's informal soiree Tuesday evening, February 21, at the King Edward Hotel. Tickets from the president, Mrs. Florence Rapp, Trinity 1024W, or any member.

Hatikvah Chapter of Junior Hadassah met at the home of Miss Mollie Goldhar, Markham Street, Monday evening, January 23, Miss Goldie Smith, president, in the chair. Misses Bobe Bron-

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we have received this statement: "It is permitted by the state law of Pennsylvania, but it is rarely used in the schools of the City of Philadelphia. I do my utmost to discourage it because I believe that there are more intelligent ways of getting results than to resort to corporal punishment. I have never been in favour of corporal punishment, except, perhaps, in disciplinary schools, which contain only the most disorderly boys."

Here we have four educators who are in charge of important educational systems, practical men, offering proof that discipline can be maintained in the public schools of large cities without the aid of the strap. The whole notion, therefore, that the abolition of corporal punishment is impractical, is refuted.

The children of Detroit, Philadelphia, Newark and St. Louis are no better than those in Toronto and if the children of these cities can be educated without the infliction of corporal punishment, we believe that the Toronto children can as well. We are convinced that if our teachers and principals would determine to do without the strap, they would find that discipline could be maintained. The fact of the experience of these four cities speaks more eloquently than the most effective of arguments.

stein and Anne Lipson won the raffles. National Fund boxes were distributed at the meeting and baby clothes were sewn by the members. Next meeting at the home of Miss Rhoda Axler, 490 Brunswick Avenue.

A bridge will be held under the auspices of Ruth Chapter of Hadassah, Wednesday evening, March 7, 1928, at the Zionist Institute, Beverley Street. Tickets from Pauline Rappaport, Lyndhurst 4504.

PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE GROUP

The Parliamentary Procedure Group under the leadership of Mrs. J. Eisman opens again Wednesday, February 3, at 10.15, at the Community House, 44 St. George Street. All welcome. No fee. Among the ladies who attended the past course were Mesdames L. Singer, A. I. Willinsky, B. Raz, J. H. Winters, Carl Frankel, Nathan Phillips, A. Levin, M. Kates, M. L. Levy and Miss Ray Jacobs. Mrs. J. Eisman was presented with an antique piece from the ladies who attended the recent course.

THANK YOU!

"Mac" Brown, the first Jewish boy alderman in Ward 5, who headed the polls by a majority of 200 votes, expresses thanks through THE CANADIAN JEWISH REVIEW to all the boys of Ward 5 for their support in the recent elections of the Toronto Boy Municipal Council.

REST HOME BUDS' MEETINGS

Senior Rest Home Buds held their last meeting Sunday, January 22, at the home of Miss Annie Joseph, Hilton Avenue. Next meeting at the home of Miss Adele Godfrey, Lauder Avenue.

Junior Rest Home Buds met at the home of Miss Helen Yolles, Isabella Street. Next meeting at the home of Miss Jean Rubin, Regal Road.

DINNER POSTPONED

Ladies' Auxiliary of the Talmud Torah, Brunswick Avenue, have postponed their fifth anniversary dinner from January 29 to Wednesday evening, February 1. At this dinner the outstanding raffles of the last bazaar will be drawn. For reservations 'phone Mrs. P. James, Kingsdale 5378, or Mrs. L. Schechter, Trinity 3471.

Daniel Levy has been elected speaker of the new Legislative Assembly of New South Wales.

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presenting its case and claiming the full measure of support which it deserves. Its campaigns have been halting and timid. They have lacked the cogency and force of modern campaigns.

This week-end, the Free Loan is coming out again before the public to demand a fair addition to its resources.

It is scarcely creditable that after operating for some five or six years, and doing magnificent work its total capital is still no more than $12,000!

The campaign this year must be a success. The Free Loan organization requires a capital at least twice as large as it has at present at its command. Let the facts be presented before the public. The merit of the cause will insure the support of all who are approached.

—A.B.B.

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Portrait of a Prodigal Son

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his thoughts were centred upon an efficiency system for the shoe factory they had opened in a town nearby.

All at once the war broke out and disturbed Alfred's peace. He was intrinsically opposed to war: and his oldest son was of age. Turbulent days followed in quick succession. When approached for a contribution to a national defense fund he hesitated. "The Mission of Israel is Peace" flitted through his mind. And he made his contribution doubly big. And when his son was forced to enlist he rationalized that a country worth living in is worth fighting for, and tried to console Bernice with these arguments.

But Bernice aged quickly whilst her son was gone to war, and aged the more when he returned gassed and sallow skinned. Alfred bit his lips at the sight of his son, but was content that he had had the occasion to make such a sacrifice for the land of his adoption. Only when he read that in the country of an Ally a group of students nearly lynched some Jews because they had wanted to continue their studies, Alfred clenched his fists and wished to find an explanation for the wrong. The incident wakened Alfred to the cause of Jewish war-sufferers in the country of his birth and he volunteered to collect money for the needy ones.

His first stop was at the office of Mr. Andrews, president of a wholesale house with which he had dealt since his entrance into business. Andrews, an imposing baldheaded man, rose to meet Alfred and looked puzzled at the men accompanying him. Alfred introduced Mr. Rodnick, another volunteer from the relief headquarters, then explained his mission that day. As soon as it was clear that Alfred had not come for business Andrews showed impatience, and when Alfred finished his explanation, drawing in dark colours the situation of these war-wrecked people in Europe, he was attacked with questions. Andrews seemed eager to know why their own government did not help them. And why they did not throw in their lot with the Near East Relief. And how one could tell that the money would reach them now that their governments were so

unstable and irresponsible. Then he rang the bell for his secretary. And when she promptly responded to his call, he asked Alfred to write down the name of the relief and handed it to her, asking her to have a cheque for five dollars made out to that name and charged to his private account.

"Five dollars!" Alfred gasped.

"Well, Mr. Brown, you understand we have so many obligations nowadays that, though I would like to, I can't be more lavish in my donations."

Alfred left with an insulted air. But he found McGregor, his lawyer, likewise willing to make a similar offering, and that out of professional courtesy; Doolittle, his banker, claimed to have already contributed to the Jewish relief; Allen, head of the tannery where they purchased leather, supported a remote relative crippled in the war, which, he assumed, relieved him from any other obligations to war sufferers.

When the day was over he had collected fifty dollars, and sufficient understanding that they, his erstwhile friends, were not eager to alleviate the sufferings of a people that were not of their race. And in the street car going home he overheard a conversation about "the dirty Jews, the Bolsheviki, that started the revolution in Russia."

That evening he sat close to Bernice in the front room and leafed over some pages of their past in a manner that pleased and puzzled her.

"You know what I heard to-day, Bernice? I heard that Sam—Sam Berditzky—is sick. It's a shame! We haven't seen them now in years. Drifted apart somehow. And we were such close friends in our day."

"It's time for you to put that book away," Bernice turned to Paul, blue-eyed and tall, and absorbed in a recent volume on baseball and its heroes.

The subject turned on Olive and the child she was expecting. But Alfred seemed detached, speaking only in monosyllables about his married daughter.

"What do you say if we run down to see Sam and his family to-night?" he suddenly interrupted his wife in her exposition of Olive's mistake in refusing to reserve a place in the maternity hospital.

"Now?" Bernice looked surprised.

But trusting the wisdom of her husband, she waited for no reply and went upstairs to dress. On the way to their old friends Alfred told Bernice of his plan to dissolve partnership with McLeod and take Paul into the business. She was much pleased that he had consulted her in such matters, and agreed with him in silence.

They rang the bell at Berditzky's door with wondering unease, but were received with a blushing welcome as if guests from a distant land. Their awkwardness soon melted and friendliness of by-gone days was resuscitated with the eagerness of a common understanding. Amongst other things Berditzky told them of his son, Ben, who was making his way through college by teaching in a Hebrew school at night, and Alfred nodded his head in glowing admiration of one who though born in the land was capable of teaching Hebrew.

On their way home he told his wife he wished he knew a way of making his children promise to teach their offspring the Hebrew tongue.

"You know what, Rebecca, if I were not too old I think I'd change my name again to what it was," he confided to her.

"Since when are we too old?" Bernice was offended at the insinuation.

"I didn't mean it that way," Alfred laughed. "And yet—"

"And yet what?" Bernice demanded with an intonation.

It seemed the winds had carried the message to the North End that Alfred Brown had experienced a change of heart, and a path was trodden to his door by those who wished to acquaint him with the Jewish cause. Alfred received them all with an open mind and an open hand. And when approached to buy some land in Palestine he became wildly enthusiastic. The ownership of that land was a symbol to him, and his name to that deed he gave as Aaron Brownstein.

All marks of foreignness were gone from him, and his friends thought it strange that he should have changed his name again. But to him his name, too, was a symbol. And Bernice looked at him in admiration and agreed with him.

Montreal

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yellow georgette; Esther Lewis, yellow georgette; Freda Lewis, white net; Hilda Schotland, of New York; Nellie Rosen, green georgette; Mollie Joslow, black georgette and chiffon velvet; Celia Livinson, orchid taffeta and French flowers; M. Abrahams, maize taffeta; B. Rosenblatt, of Winnipeg, black and green taffeta; J. Rosenberg, of Cleveland, red georgette; Bella Pomerantz, gold chiffon velvet; Betty Pomerantz, red georgette and black satin; F. Leibovitch, rosewood chiffon velvet; Kate Lecker, flame canton crepe; B. Davis, green georgette; Jean Lecker, peach flowered crepe romaine; Jack King, M. Goldberg, W. Lecker, T. L. Lecker, George Anderson, C. Corly, Harry Levinson, B. Gradinger, B. Berbier, M. Kransove, H. H. Livinson, J. Rubin, of Elmwood; Max Chercover, of Winnipeg; R. B. Cohen, of Port Arthur, Ont.; Charles Schotland, of New York; R. Feldman, Sam Bernstein, Charlie Rottman, M. Ginsberg, Dave Silverstone, Ralph Zabetsky, Chief Dubeau, T. Fogle, H. Lewis, S. Hadis, D. Selsky, H. I. Kastner, Abe Katz, M. Perlman, Dr. Joe Pollock, Sam Berg, S. Garfield, M. Claman, H. Naimer, Joe Bernstein, Irving Boidman, Dave Bernstein, S. Freedman, Al Greenberg, Jack Breslov, Jack Amden, Myer Berman, Moe Lazare, Jack Schwartz, Ben Cummings, Louis Stein, Lyon Cohen, Dr. H. H. Schwartz, Philip Pressman, J. I. Kraminer, Max Rosen and Sam Heft.

Fruma Brownstein Chapter met at the home of Mrs. E. Magalnick, 2336 Hutchison Street. Mrs. S. Freedman presided. Chapter will celebrate its first anniversary with a tea and bridge at the Lewis Reception Rooms. The raffle, a picture, was won by Mrs. S. Sugar. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. E. Bloom, 1197 St. Urbain Street, Monday, January 30.

North End Chapter met at the home of Mrs. S. Dector, Lajoie Avenue, January 23. Mrs. L. Matthews presided. Mrs. L. Hertzig and Mrs. A. H. Rabin spoke on the $25 luncheon to be held in June. Mrs. M. Hornstein read Mrs. Cooperstone's report on the theatre night. Mesdames S. Olesker, M. Waldman, E. Herschorn, S. Dector, M. Lesser and S. Marcovitch paid dues. Mrs. A. Herscovitch donated $2 in honour of her new-born grandchild. It was decided to give $30 to the Tuberculosis Hospital in Palestine and $100 for Keren Hayesod. Mrs. M. Hornstein thanked the speakers and Mrs. A. Poyanner the hostesses. Tea netted $16.50. Mrs. S. Selinsky won the raffle. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. M. Taub, Park Avenue, Monday, January 30.

Young Ladies' Zionist Chapter bridge and mah jongg at Victoria Hall Wednesday, February 1, at 1 p.m. A set of waterless cooking utensils will be raffled at the luncheon. At the meeting January 16 at the home of Mrs. S. J. Kazinel, Vendome Avenue, it was decided to send a certificate of five trees to Mrs. N. Singer, in the name of Baby Singer, and a certificate of one tree to Baby Simak. At a meeting held at the home of Mrs. Sam Guttman, 1335 Lajoie, Monday, January 23, the $25 luncheon was discussed. Meeting January 30 at the home of Mrs. I. Hoffman, 1045 St. Viateur West. The raffle, donated by Mrs. H. B. Miller, was won by Mrs. L. Lefcort.

Queen Esther Chapter met at Zionist Headquarters Monday, January 23. Mrs. J. Shulman presided. Mrs. J. Issenman, chairman of the membership committee, who has 167 members registered to date, was thanked. Mrs. M. Garfinkle, chairman of National Fund Committee, reported boxes cleared by Mesdames D. Rosenbaum, B. Arbess, J. Issenman, B. Perelmutter, H. Levy and Miss S. Wolfson, of Beth Zion Chapter. Lists for box clearings were taken by Mesdames D. A. Miller, M. Markowitz, J. Issenman and J. Shulman. Mrs. S. Wittes reported on the dance. Money made at the dance will go towards the chapter's Keren Hayesod pledge. Mesdames M. Cohen, ticket convener, S. Wittes, dance convener, and J. Shulman, president, were thanked. Mrs. S. Kahn spoke on the $25 luncheon. Hostesses for this meeting were Mesdames H. Bazar and J. Taylor. Mrs. A. Shacter won the weekly raffle. Next meeting will be an at home in the house of Mrs. S. Kalman, 627 Bloomfield Avenue, Monday, January 30.

Sybil Cohen Chapter met Monday, January 23, at Zionist Headquarters. Mrs. M. H. Cohen presided. Report of dance tickets was given. Bridge Monday, January 30, Mrs. L. Ginsberg, hostess.

Junior Hadassah held a theatre night at His Majesty's Theatre, Monday, January 23.

The Central Chapter of Hadassah met at Zionist Headquarters Monday, January 16. Mrs. J. Shaffran presided. Mrs. J. Seligman acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. N. Denbow. Mrs. S. Kahn, the guest, introduced new plans for Hadassah activities. Mrs. E. G. Bernstein presented Mrs. J. Pascal and Mrs. B. Michaelson with golden book certificates in memory of their sons who were drowned. Mrs. J. Seligman was thanked for making the theatre night at the Orpheum a success. Mrs. H. M. Levinoff and Mrs. M. Stein were hostesses. All meetings at Zionist Headquarters, Mondays at 3 p.m.

WEDDINGS

Feldman—Rotshtein

The marriage of Miss Julia Rotshtein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Rotshtein, to Aaron Feldman, son of W. Feldman, was solemnized Sunday, January 22, at Bnai Jacob Synagogue. Rabbi Kravitz officiated. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a white model in satin and lace, trimmed with rhinestones. Her veil of net, in turban effect with orange blossoms on either side, was drawn up in the centre with rhinestones. She carried Ophelia roses and lilies-of-the-valley. The maid of honour, Miss Fanny Rotshtein, sister of the bride, in maize georgette with a bodice of gold lace, trimmed with hand-made French flowers, carried a bouquet of roses and sweet peas. Percy Caplan was best man. The bridesmaids were Misses Anne Sibolsky, in peach georgette and tulle in bouffant style; Esther Myers, three-toned maize taffeta and French flowers; Freda Rotshtein, pink georgette and lace bouffant dress; Anne Pleva, peach taffeta with flower on shoulder; Nettie Lazar, orchid satin, silver lace and French flowers; and Eva Berliner, powder blue georgette and silver metallic cloth. They wore tulle bands to match their dresses and carried bouquets of pink roses. Groomsmen were Max Sibolsky, Abe Ungar, Victor Deckelbaum, Irving Lerner, Ben Sternthal and Max Sharb. The flower girls were Sylvia Rotshtein, in pink crepe de chine with tulle, and Sylvia Levine, peach crepe de chine and satin ribbon. They carried baskets of pink petals. Isidore Rotshtein, page boy, wore a tuxedo. Mrs. L. Rotshtein, mother of the bride, wore cocoa georgette beaded in gold, with a cornage of roses. Mrs. J. Purits wore black satin beaded in silver, with a corsage of roses. Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. I. Lazar, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. L. Sibolsky and Mr. and Mrs. Dean, of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Bricker and A. Mendes, of Winnipeg. Four hundred guests were received in Bnai Jacob Assembly Hall. The table was decorated with tulips. A choir of fifteen, conducted by M. Cupfinsky, sang during the ceremony. The gift to the maid of honour was a white gold wrist watch; to the best man a diamond tie pin; to the bridesmaids silver pencils, and to the groomsmen gold pen knives. Mr. and Mrs. Feldman, who left for Ottawa and Toronto on their honeymoon, will live on Laurier Avenue West.

AGREEMENT BETWEEN AGUDAH AND VAAD LEUMI POSSIBLE

The presence of Dr. Pinchas Kohn, the president of Agudas Israel, in Palestine, may lead to an amicable understanding between the extreme orthodox Agudah groups and the National Council of Palestine Jews with regard to the Jewish Communities Ordinance. It is understood that the Agudah and the Vaad Hair would be willing to come to an understanding which would enable Palestine Jewry to present a united front to the outside world, on condition that they are given internal autonomy in matters affecting religious education, Shechitah, burial, etc. They object that the Vaad Leumi is controlled by men who are non-religious and whose administration in religious life they could not accept. If, however, they are given autonomy in these matters within the community they would be willing to join a united community which would represent Palestine Jewry as a whole to the Government.

Dr. Kohn presented his report to the administrative committee of the Agudah which met in Vienna last week, and it was decided to have Dr. Kohn or another delegate continue the negotiations and to come to some workable understanding.

JEWS PRESENT GRIEVANCES TO POLISH LEADERS

A memorandum presented to the Polish Premier, Marshal Pilsudski, by the Jewish National Council, bearing the signatures of Jewish members of the Seim, of Rabbis and communal leaders in Poland, contains a number of charges against the failure of the present government to carry out the promises made to the Jews by the pervious government, by Prime Minister Professor Bartol. In this agreement, the Government adopted the view that economic anti-Semitism was harmful to the State, and that all legal restrictions against the Jews should be abolished. The Jewish population has waited patiently now for fifteen months for the promises to be fulfilled, but so far only four of the points agreed upon have been carried into effect. The memorandum then enumerates at length the various provisions that have not yet been fulfilled, including the compulsory Sunday Law, the subsidization of the Hebrew schools, the lower allotment made to the Jewish religious institutions, the limitations on Jews becoming citizens and many other restrictions under which the Polish Jews still live. It is pointed out that the present Premier was a member of the former Cabinet and participated in the negotiations, and his becoming Premier should not have caused a change in the attitude of the present Government toward the question.

LOEW'S VAUDEVILLE

Harry Girard and his company, presenting Thirteen Golden Voiced Girls in a beautiful song revenue, will focus all attention upon Loew's vaudeville programme next week when this exceptional attraction, together with four other unusual stage offerings, will be seen in addition to a full film programme. Fifteen song artists will be featured in the act, with Myra Lee, famous lyric soprano, as the attraction de luxe. Barrett and Cunoon, famous comedy team, in a rollicking skit, "Looking for Fun," will delight their many admirers. The whole act is in high-speed action with many breezy lines and comic situations.

Smith and Hart in "Dees, Doos and Doos" have a clever comedy characterization that is full of humour and has the added asset of tuneful [illegible]